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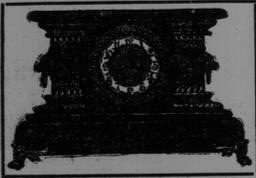
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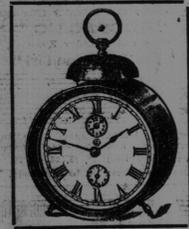
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STATEMENT OF PROVINCIAL FINANCES FOR THE YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 31st.

Total Ordinary Revenue Shows a Slight Surplus-- Credit Foncier Loan Repaid--Big Sums Spent for Education and Public Works.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 27.—The Royal Gazette issued this morning contains the statement of receipts and expenditures for the province year ending Oct. 31, 1906. Total ordinary revenue, \$879,685.32. Total ordinary revenue, \$887,301.63. The big items in the former include: Education, \$217,823.07. Executive government, \$23,576.65. Interest, \$181,804.03. Public Works, \$7,350.00. Dominion subsidies, \$191,800.96. Territorial revenue, \$304,313.41. Incorporated companies taxes, \$26,688.51. Succession duties, \$12,056.78. The other expenditures outside of these chargeable to ordinary revenue are as follows: Public works for permanent bridges, \$74,872.53. Redemption of debentures, \$110,500.00. Wharves and grain elevators, port of St. John's, cap. 5, \$2,500,000. Credit foncier, temporary loan paid, \$250,000.00. Equity court withdrawals, \$11,318.04. Balance, \$77,616.09. Total expenditures, 1,705,873.18. The receipts outside of ordinary revenue are: Proceeds of debentures, 56 cap 11, \$2,000.00. Proceeds of debentures, 54 vic cap 11, \$35,000.00. Proceeds treasury bill, 5 ed 7 cap 13 and 6 ed 7 cap 11, 200,000.00. Proceeds of treasury bill, 4 ed 7 cap 12 and 6 ed 7, cap 11, \$170,873.53. Proceeds of treasury bill, 4 ed 7 cap 25 and 6 ed 7 cap 11, \$132,000.00. Equity court deposits, \$44,496.95. Deposit alliance nationale, \$10,000.00.

GAVE JEWELS AND MONEY TO HELP THEIR COUNTRYMEN

A Remarkable Demonstration in Tremont Temple at Which a Crowd of Russian Sympathizers Became Wildly Excited.

BOSTON, Dec. 26.—A crowd of Russian revolutionaries, headed by Alexander Kahn, presided at the meeting, and several local speakers opened the proceedings and succeeded in arousing the crowd to such a pitch that the auction which followed their remarks was a great success. De Antoinette Konkow and Mr. Barodes added fuel to the fire until the whole audience was greatly excited when Gershuni came upon the stage. He was cheered wildly, and responded with a speech in which he endeavored to describe the conditions in Russia, and said that the revolutionists wanted to raise enough money to equip ten full regiments. He denied that he was a terrorist or that he had been in Chicago recently. Just as he was concluding his remarks, half a dozen men in the gallery rose up and one or two made some remarks in the nature of a protest to the words of the speaker. Instantly the entire assembly was in an uproar, and a strong tide of excited humanity began to flow in the direction of the gallery. Gershuni and Mr. Kahn shouted to the people to go back to their seats, and by strenuous efforts managed to stem the current. At the Revere House, after the meeting, Gershuni and several of the local speakers declared that the demonstration was met with a stern refusal by the Russian Government.

MINERS KILLED BY FALLING DOWN A SHAFT

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 26.—A Detroit News special from Bessemer, Mich., says: Elias Lehtanen and Joseph Bardeeson were instantly killed in the Colby mine here today by falling five hundred feet to the bottom of the shaft when a "skip" on which they were riding on the surface was dumped by striking on a projecting beam. Two other miners in the "skip" saved their lives by catching hold of the rope and clinging to it. One of these, Mike Scavard, was seriously injured before his plight was discovered, but the other came out of the experience unharmed.

PLEASE GO AWAY AND STOP BOSSING US

TANGIERS, Morocco, Dec. 26.—The Moroccan Minister of War, Sid Mohammed Gabbas, has established seven small forts, each garrisoned by 150 men around Tangier, and has sent orders to Raisuli's lieutenant to cease "governing." Raisuli has summoned a council of his vassal chiefs to meet at the headquarters of the Bollaris Tribe December 30th.

WIFE-MURDERER TO DIE.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Wm. S. Brasch, convicted of killing his wife, Roxana, by throwing her in the canal last June, was taken to Auburn last night by Deputy Sheriff Hawley. He is under sentence to be electrocuted during the week of February 14.

MOB DID NOT SUCCEED IN LYNCHING TRAMP

Unable to Force the Doors of the Jail—Prisoner Believed to be Insane. LAS ANIMAS, Colo., Dec. 27.—After several hours of diligent effort at storming the county jail, a mob which gathered after dark last night to avenge the death of Henry Lavender, a farmer, who was murdered in a most brutal way by a tramp, dispersed, and it is thought no further attempts will be made to carry out the plan of vengeance. The mob worked its way into the jail as far as the steel doors by breaking down wooden doors, but were met with a stern refusal by the jail keepers to turn over the prisoner, and finally gave up. When apprehended, the murderer gave his name as Lawrence Leberg, and many believe him to be insane.

ONE QUART WAS WATER, PERHAPS.

Master Pert—You made a mistake, governess. You told me that you couldn't take four from three! Governess—Of course not, you silly boy! Master Pert—Well, Bridget told me that her father used to take four quarts of milk from three cows.

HIS MAN'S FAULT.

"Why did Ferdie discharge his valet?" "Miss Van Rox rejected Ferdie's offer of marriage, and the only reason Ferdie could think of was that something must be wrong with the way he was dressed."

AMERICANS AND MEXICANS MASSACRED BY INDIANS

AMERICAN TROOPS TO SETTLE THE NEGROES Soldiers Will Remain in Cuba Until the Bands Who Are Now Destroying Property Are Scattered.

HAVANA, Dec. 26.—No further advice has been received here regarding the disorders in Santa Clara province. The American troops which were sent into the district this morning from Camp Columbia, will scout through the province. Governor Magon said today he had no intention of using these troops to suppress the roving bands of negroes in Santa Clara, but that practice marches in the rural guards, to whom is entrusted the actual work of scattering the marauders, and give confidence to the owners of sugar estates desiring protection. A freight train has been held up at Alto Cerro, on the Cuban Central Railway, 120 miles east of Camaguey, supposedly by men in sympathy with the strikers in the railroad shops at Camaguey. Rural guardsmen have been dispatched to the scene. Governor Magon has signed a decree authorizing the expenditure of \$80,000 incurred in preparing the barracks at Camp Columbia for the occupancy of the American troops.

FRENZIED DOG TERRIFIES SEVERAL TOWNS NEAR BOSTON

BOSTON, Dec. 26.—An apparently frenzied dog ran amuck today through half a dozen towns and cities north of Boston, covering a distance of nine miles in eight hours and at 11 o'clock tonight had bitten eight persons and was still at large, with the police of a large number of towns and cities on his trail. At one time this afternoon he was cornered in Malden by two policemen, but in attempting to shoot him, one of the policemen, Officer No. Johnson, in the leg, while the dog escaped. The dog was first seen in Winthrop about 2 o'clock this afternoon, where he attacked and severely lacerated two children. An hour later he turned up at Beachmont, where he attacked five people before he disappeared in the direction of Malden. In Revere he chased several persons but did not bite any one, but in Chelsea one person was bitten. Later in the afternoon he was seen by various people on the road between Chelsea and Malden, but at that time he kept on to Melrose, where one person suffered from his teeth. During the early evening he apparently retraced his steps to Malden, where he had his encounter with the policeman. At 10 o'clock tonight he was seen running off in the direction of Everett. A general alarm was sent out at 8 o'clock tonight to the police of all the cities and towns to the north and west of the city. The dog was described as a spaniel, and as several other dogs were bitten during the afternoon, measures will be taken to ward off an epidemic of hydrophobia.

WITH THESE NAMES IT WILL BE A LONG CEREMONY

BERLIN, Dec. 27.—Princess Alexander Victoria of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderburg-Gluecksburg has been betrothed to Prince Augustus William, fourth son of Emperor William. Princess Alexandra is the second daughter of Duke Frederick of Schleswig-Holstein. She was born in April, 1887. Prince Augustus was born January 28, 1887.

POLICE PATROL LAUNCH IS SAFE

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Police launch Number 6, with three men aboard, which was reported missing in Jamaica Bay last night and which was believed to have been lost with its crew, is safe. The men who were seen at dark last night making an apparently hopeless fight against sea drifts, succeeded in making a landing and reported to the Canarsie police station early today.

JAPANESE FLOCKING TO THE UNITED STATES

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 26.—Japanese are flocking to the Rio Grande border attempting to get into the United States. Most of them are said to have been discharged from the Japanese army. Yesterday fifty-four were refused admission here. Later a number were smuggled over at Fort Hancock, Texas, but today were recaptured by immigration officials who are patrolling the entire border.

ALL BUT NURSE TO (patient leaving the hospital)—Have you got all your things now? But there something you have left? Patient—Well, I've got everything except my appendix, my tonsils, some aduoids, a polypus, one toe, and a piece of my backbone; so I guess I'm lucky.

Residents at a Number of Stations Along a Mexican Railway Were Murdered by a Band of Roving Yaquis.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27.—Col. H. B. Mason, vice president of the National Irrigation Congress and secretary of the Board of Education of Reno, Nev., who has been spending the past few weeks in the State of Sonora, Mexico, arrived here yesterday with a graphic story of a massacre of Mexicans and Americans which occurred at the little town of Llancho on the Cananea Yaqui River and Pacific Railroad late Saturday afternoon. According to the statement of Mason, his train stopped an hour at Llancho. While there rumors were received that the Yaquis were on the war-path and that the few people in the neighborhood of the station and railroad were in danger. The station master, a man named Thompson, belittled the matter and said he and his wife would remain at their post. The train bearing Colonel Mason and party had not left the station for more than an hour when the Yaquis descended upon the little party of Mexicans and Americans and murdered four of them. Thompson and his wife had defended themselves back of the barricaded doors of the station until a work train approached when the Indians withdrew. The train bearing Colonel Mason and party continued to a station about 15 miles further along the line and then as the signs of the uprising became more alarming, the party decided to return. The train started back toward Llancho, and when it arrived the station house had been demolished and four human bodies lay alongside the track. The party stopped a few minutes in a hope that the survivors might be found and taken to a place of safety. While the train was at the ruins of the station, the desperadoes appeared in the distance, but did not come within range of the few armed people on the train. Not many miles along the road the scene was duplicated. Four more dead bodies of Mexicans and Americans were seen alongside the track. The little band at the station had been able to repulse the attack of the Yaquis with the loss of but one of their number. The remaining members of the company refused to leave on the train, but as it could not stand off the Indians until the next day when the "Alcatraz" would reach the spot and justice would be meted out to the murderers it captured.

MUTUAL RESERVE ELECTS THE SAME OLD OFFICERS

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—After a session lasting two hours the directors of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Co. today re-elected Frederick A. Burnham president, and Geo. D. Eldridge, vice president of the company. Nine of the twelve directors were present, and the vote on the election of Burnham and Eldridge is said to have been very close. None of the directors would discuss the meeting.

HARCOURT.

HARCOURT, Dec. 26.—Wm. Ferguson is visiting his sister, Mrs. Andrew Macintosh. He returned on the 22nd from the Klondike, where he had been since 1898. Call Call, student at Tufts Medical College, is home for vacation; also Miss Martha Ward has returned from Boston. Miss Margaret MacKay is spending Christmas with her sister, Mrs. C. B. Thompson, in Everett, Mass. The Misses Crocker of Millerton are visiting their sister, Mrs. W. W. Cummings. Rankine McWilliams has returned from Boston, and Harrison McWilliams is home from McGill College. Misses Georgina Corrier and Evangeline and Beatrice Sanlier are home from school at St. Louis de Kent, and Miss Kate Keswick from Weston. Misses Sadie and Minnie Buckley are visiting their brother at Gloucester Junction.

SUPERIORITY ADMITTED.

"I suppose you are willing to admit the superiority of civilization?" "Yes," answered the benighted being; "your implements of warfare are undoubtedly much superior to ours."

BARCELONA, Dec. 26.—A bomb was exploded today in the Rambla, one of the principal thoroughfares of the city. One man was wounded. Three anarchists have been arrested in connection with the affair.

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Cor. Main Street and Paradise Row.

SPORTING MATTERS  
HOCKEY.  
FIRST MATCHES OF SEASON.  
In a hockey match played at the Victoria rink last evening between St. Mark's cadets and the Nationals the former won by a score of 2-0. The ice was in no condition for good playing. The teams lined up as follows:  
St. Mark's: ... Goal... Moavily  
I. Smith... R. wing... McEwain  
Kendrick... L. wing... Wilson  
Sandal... Centre... Parker  
Dunham... L. wing... Simms  
C. Smith... R. wing... Skinner  
Merritt... Cover... Sears  
A. Phillips refereed in a satisfactory manner.

ATHLETES AND PRINCESSES.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—Conqueror of all the Greeks at the Olympic games at Athens, feasted and fêted, and the recipient of cheers from the admiring multitude within the Stadium, Martin Sheridan retained his composure until a beautiful Greek princess sent for him, and favored him with her smiles. Then developed a romance in which the great athlete and the princess figured, and only now, because of the intense modesty of Sheridan, has the fact been disclosed.

In brief, Martin could have had the hand of the princess in marriage, for a confidential courier encouraged him to begin his suit, with the assurance that the heart of the pretty princess had gone out to him, and that her hand was ready for the asking.

The receipt today by Martin of a beautiful Christmas gift, a statuette of a statuette in gold, showing him victoriously flinging the discus, revealed the story of the near romance, and a present from his royal admirer.

Martin confessed it was an ordeal worse than trying to beat the Greeks for their native heath, when he was summoned before the princess and compelled to accept her favors after his string of victories, but he will be up against even a harder game Thursday night than record-breaking, when he is to be crowned champion of the United Irish-American societies, joined by all the athletic clubs in the city.

These great athletes are to be tendered a monster benefit and entertainment that night at the Grand Central Palace.

BASE BALL  
A TOKIO GAME.  
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 25.—A dispatch from Stanford says that Capt. Freney of the university baseball team has received notice from Manager Ito Abe of Waseda University accepting the challenge of Stanford for an international baseball contest to be played in Tokio, Japan, some time in May. The Japanese team played Stanford last year.

Notice to Mariners.  
The steamship Sardinian while coming into the bay, Tuesday afternoon, passed the half of a vessel, bottom up, apparently a little over 100 tons registered, the wreck was about eight miles southwest of the Lurcher school and was in two parts. The captain of the Sardinian says the wreck is exceedingly dangerous to shipping. It was sighted by the Sardinian about three o'clock in the afternoon.

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CANADIAN NEWS.  
Bank of B. N. A. at Duck Lake Burned.  
B. C. Elections Will be Exciting—Serious Strabing Among Railway Laborers—The Inquest at Welsford.

PARRY SOUND Ont., Dec. 25.—A message from Grant's Camp, on Canadian Northern Ontario Railway construction works, reached here today with news of a murder and serious stabbing affray in that vicinity last night. It is said a party of Italians, probably under the influence of liquor, started from the camp and went to the farm house of a Mr. McCormick, started to kick up a row there and attempted to assault Mrs. McCormick.

Word had been sent to camp and a party of Swedes, headed by McDodd, nephew of Grant, the contractor, started out. On their arrival, McCormick's fight took place in which McDodd was fatally stabbed and died shortly afterwards. Three of the Swedes were also stabbed, probably fatally. The Italians got away.

McCormick's farm is about six miles from Parry Sound, and thirty miles from here. Crown Attorney Haight, being notified, has started constables in pursuit.

WELLSFORD, N. B., Dec. 25.—Premier Whitney denies having received an offer of one million dollars for part of the Gilles Limit at Cobalt.

WELLSFORD, N. B., Dec. 25.—Release trial, Friday, Dec. 25, for rioting of Thos. Garret, sentenced to Central Hamilton during street railway strike, took place today. He arrived at the prison at one o'clock this afternoon and was let out fifteen minutes later by order of Minister of Justice Aylesworth.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 25.—Nominations take place January 19 and elections February 2.

The Tories are headed by Premier McEwen, led by J. A. McDonald; Independents are picking fully a tin, formerly premier, and the Socialists are picking a tin, formerly premier, as chief. All are sanguine of winning and a general mixup is promised. The independents are picking a tin, formerly premier, as chief. All are sanguine of winning and a general mixup is promised.

WELLSFORD, N. B., Dec. 25.—An inquest was held here today over the death of Peter Larsen by coroner J. K. Howard. The coroner's verdict was that Larsen had been working for, was called as a witness, but could throw no light on how the man came to be on the track. The body is being buried.

GLACE BAY, Dec. 25.—Rufus McEachern, night operator at Hub Junction, was rendered unconscious last night by a heavy blow from stone thrown by some party unknown. He fell across the track and lay there for over an hour before being picked up. Fortunately no trains were running. A saloon was raided today but only a few bottles of beer were secured.

A conquest missionary meeting was held in Main street Baptist church last night. An interesting programme was carried out, a number of the young people taking part. The Rev. H. Hayes spoke of Dr. Carey and his work in India; Mr. Estey gave an address on the work of Dr. Livingstone in Africa; Robert Stalling told of the life and work of Peter Larsen; D. Hutchison gave a brief address on Morrisson of China. Solo were sung by Miss Jones. The offering for missions was taken up during the evening.

TELEPHONE FROM A MOVING TRAIN  
Successful Tests Made of Device Invented by Dr. A. D. Jones of Louisville

Connection Made With New York, but Bad Weather Makes the Conversation Incoherent.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 25.—Despite adverse weather conditions a successful test was made today of a device for telephoning from moving trains invented by Dr. A. D. Jones, of Louisville.

The test was made on a branch of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad about six miles east of here. From a person on the train this report was received by telephone at a speed of about twenty miles an hour. The test is made under adverse conditions, the weather being muggy and the atmosphere dead.

A "successful" conversation has been held with Cincinnati and other points. An attempt was made to talk with New York. The connection was obtained but owing to heavy weather conditions in the East the conversation was not satisfactory.

The apparatus carried on the train consisted of an ordinary telephone equipment. The connection with local exchanges was obtained by means of two heavy copper wires stretched alongside the track at a distance of three feet and about three feet above the ground. Contact between the wires was maintained by a chemical mixture through which steam was fed to make a chemical union at a distance which may vary from half an inch to two feet, allowing for all vibration or swaying of the train.

The long distance wires were working poorly and the words exchanged with New York were very indistinct, so that no coherent conversation could be maintained. Telephone operators in Louisville and Worthville said they were unable to talk to the New York operators with any better success than was had from the train while it was in motion.

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Another dastardly outrage is reported from Marsh road. Yesterday afternoon a little seven-year-old girl named Bertha Stockton was coming along the Marsh road carrying a jug of milk. With fire gleaming from his eyes, the dog rushed himself at the highwayman and got a death grip on the most conveniently reached part of his clothing.

After a few minutes' discussion with the dog the milk dealer, who was the victim, but he left behind him a portion of his clothing usually considered indispensable in polite society. He did not mind doing so; the dog attended to that.

PRICES ADVANCING.  
By closing your contract now you secure this year's prices at the Currie Business University, Ltd. Do not forget that after the New Year the rates are to be increased 25-50 per cent. The office, 29 Canterbury street, opens every night during the holidays. School will re-open Wednesday, January 2nd.

BIG CROWD AT THE VIC. TONIGHT.  
The air is nice and crisp again, and tonight there will be a bigger crowd than usual in Victoria Park, for the ice is dry and smooth. Christmas and the day following being so uneventful, ice skating was not the uppermost thought in the minds of young folk though the morning matinee and afternoon session was very largely attended. Last night, however, the attendance went back to its normal size, and hundreds whirled about the big circle. With this steady band of the weather the Vic. boom will set in right earnestly. Popular band programmes every afternoon and evening. New Year's tickets now on sale.

A DAINY APRON FOR AFTERNOONS.  
6750—A touch of daintiness in the shape of a little apron is all some people need to make them appear to advantage over the tea cups or while doing a bit of sewing. It is a small garment but richly appreciated when some protection is needed for the afternoon frock or a bit of white needlework which would become soiled by contact with the dark skirt. The apron shown is thoroughly smart and dainty and will have its edges finished with a narrow luted lace or a frill. Aprons of this kind are easy to make and prove excellent gifts. 15 yards are needed for the apron.  
6750—Sizes—One.

DR. H. GRATTAN QUINN  
Director of the Hospital General Missionary and Dispensary at the University of the Pacific, 2000 Broadway, San Francisco, California. Dr. Quinn is a member of the American Medical Association, the Pacific Coast Medical Association, the California Medical Association, the Oregon Medical Association, the British Medical Association, the Royal Society of Medicine, the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine, the Royal Society of Hygiene, the Royal Society of Pathology, the Royal Society of Medicine, the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine, the Royal Society of Hygiene, the Royal Society of Pathology.

LOCAL NEWS  
Owing to the scarcity of snow, the German street Baptist Sunday school sleigh drive has been postponed until further notice.

Best cane granulated sugar \$4.10 per hundred. Apples from \$1.00 per bush. The Two Barkers, 100 Princess and 111 Brussels.

Tomorrow, Friday, Dec. 28th, the greatest two weeks overcoat sale will begin at the Union Clothing Co., 25-28 Charlotte street, old Y. M. C. A. Bldg. See their notice on page three.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dunfield, of Portage, Kings Co., have spent sixty-eight Christmas days together. Mr. Dunfield is 90 years of age, and Mrs. Dunfield 88 years.

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W. C. Archibald and his son Chipman of Wolfville, who have been organizing an apple exporting company in New Brunswick, are now in Boston at the present time. The latter is taking a course in landscape gardening.

James Barnes, M. P. P. of Buctouche, who is in the city to attend the Liberal convention, says that coal of an excellent quality is now being raised at the Northfield mine, Miramichi, which was reopened by the present owners a few weeks ago.

Taylor and White, who have been running a cooper shop in Pokok for some years in connection with their factory near the Shamrock grounds, are preparing to establish their complete plant at Elm street on the Paries property, which they purchased two years ago.

Charles F. Dykeman, while doing some carpenter work on the west side ferry floats a few days ago, received a slight injury to one of his legs. Blood poisoning has since set in and Mr. Dykeman will be confined to his bed for some time.

Solely with the idea of clearing away remaining fancy goods Mr. H. R. Taylor is tonight advertising a sale to commence forthwith. Prices is no object, the goods simply must be sold for being more or less fragile and bulky, they will not take valuable room if laid away. New Year's gifts at much less than half price. Second floor.

D. R. Morrison, of Newcastle, Dr. H. Bay, of Chipman, Geo. W. Byron, of Chipman, of Campbellton, Benjamin Simpson, of Deer Island, Col. J. D. MacKenzie and W. C. Winston of Chatham, J. D. Irving, R. A. Irving, A. D. Cormier, of Buctouche and Clifton, A. D. Cormier, of Kouchibouguac, who are here to attend the Liberal convention this evening are at the Royal.

Mrs. Charles Durant died at her home, Chisholm, Maine, on Oct. 20. She was only 29 years of age and was beloved by all who knew her. A sorrowing husband, father and mother, two brothers and one sister, Mrs. Durant, of Moore street in this city, survive. Her remains were taken to her home, Hearts Content, Newfoundland, for burial.

P. H. Green, who for the last seven years has conducted a large photography business in this city, has just returned from a visit to his home in New York. He will be taken over by Richard Rowe, and Mr. Green will leave two days later for Vernon, B. C., where he has bought land and will take up fruit growing. His farm will go west later in the year. Mr. Green has many friends in St. John, who will wish him success.

Three English families who left for Norfolk, Va., last night, say that they were badly taken in by an Upper Canadian land company. The company had sold the families land in Cuba, so they left for that place. On arriving there they found that the whole thing was a fraud. Instead of finding 700 acres of land waiting for them, they received a small lot which was not worth \$50. One of the party says that three Episcopal clergymen were connected with the company.

Another dastardly outrage is reported from Marsh road. Yesterday afternoon a little seven-year-old girl named Bertha Stockton was coming along the Marsh road carrying a jug of milk. With fire gleaming from his eyes, the dog rushed himself at the highwayman and got a death grip on the most conveniently reached part of his clothing.

After a few minutes' discussion with the dog the milk dealer, who was the victim, but he left behind him a portion of his clothing usually considered indispensable in polite society. He did not mind doing so; the dog attended to that.

PRICES ADVANCING.  
By closing your contract now you secure this year's prices at the Currie Business University, Ltd. Do not forget that after the New Year the rates are to be increased 25-50 per cent. The office, 29 Canterbury street, opens every night during the holidays. School will re-open Wednesday, January 2nd.

BIG CROWD AT THE VIC. TONIGHT.  
The air is nice and crisp again, and tonight there will be a bigger crowd than usual in Victoria Park, for the ice is dry and smooth. Christmas and the day following being so uneventful, ice skating was not the uppermost thought in the minds of young folk though the morning matinee and afternoon session was very largely attended. Last night, however, the attendance went back to its normal size, and hundreds whirled about the big circle. With this steady band of the weather the Vic. boom will set in right earnestly. Popular band programmes every afternoon and evening. New Year's tickets now on sale.

A DAINY APRON FOR AFTERNOONS.  
6750—A touch of daintiness in the shape of a little apron is all some people need to make them appear to advantage over the tea cups or while doing a bit of sewing. It is a small garment but richly appreciated when some protection is needed for the afternoon frock or a bit of white needlework which would become soiled by contact with the dark skirt. The apron shown is thoroughly smart and dainty and will have its edges finished with a narrow luted lace or a frill. Aprons of this kind are easy to make and prove excellent gifts. 15 yards are needed for the apron.  
6750—Sizes—One.

DR. H. GRATTAN QUINN  
Director of the Hospital General Missionary and Dispensary at the University of the Pacific, 2000 Broadway, San Francisco, California. Dr. Quinn is a member of the American Medical Association, the Pacific Coast Medical Association, the California Medical Association, the Oregon Medical Association, the British Medical Association, the Royal Society of Medicine, the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine, the Royal Society of Hygiene, the Royal Society of Pathology.

New Year's Gifts!

We have a beautiful line of Morris Chairs, Fancy Rockers, Willow Rockers, Fancy odd pieces for parlor, Odd Bureaus and Commodes, Secretaries, Bookcases, China Closets, Buffets, etc., at prices to suit everyone's purse.

AMLAND BROS., Ltd.  
Furniture and Carpet Dealers,  
19 Waterloo Street.

RECENT WEDDINGS.  
OAKES-ROACH.  
A pretty wedding took place Sunday night at Vancouver, Dec. 16th, when Miss Leah Roach, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Roach, formerly of Annapolis, N. S., but now of Calgary, was united to Frank H. Oakes of Calgary. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's father by Rev. John A. Clark. Miss Lucy Logan of Annapolis, sister of H. J. Logan, M. P. for Cumberland, N. S., presided at the piano. Miss Jean Calder of Annapolis, N. S., assisted the bride's sister, Miss Elizabeth Roach, in the reception of the guests and the serving of supper. The bride was the recipient of many valuable and useful presents.

TAYLOR-GANONG.  
The marriage took place at New York on the 8th of December at the church of the Holy Communion of Miss May E. Ganong of this city and H. Taylor of that city. The bride is a daughter of John Ganong of St. John West, and a very well known nurse. During the smaller epidemic here some years ago Miss Ganong did excellent work in the service of the public as matron of the Isolation Hospital, working day and night until the epidemic was over. She also had a splendid record here in private nursing, and many friends will read with interest the announcement of her marriage. Her husband is a well known wholesale drug man in New York.

FORD-LEAHY.  
A pleasant event took place in the Methodist church at Sandy Cove Monday morning, when Dr. E. R. Ford of Digby was united in marriage to Miss Margaret, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. W. W. Leahy of Sandy Cove and Rev. B. B. Mack, pastor of the church.

NEARY-MATTHEWS.  
A very pretty wedding took place at the residence of Edward Matthews, Esq., of Letete, on the 13th of December, when his youngest daughter, Lena M., was united in marriage to John G. Neary, formerly of Halifax, but now of Letete. Miss Gertrude McMahon was bridesmaid, and George Blois, of Halifax, acted as groomsmen. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. M. Stevenson, M. A., of Letete, in the presence of only the immediate relatives. The young couple will at once begin housekeeping in Letete, with the best wishes of a host of friends.

CLARKE-BLAKESLEE.  
ST. STEPHEN, Dec. 25.—Trinity church was the scene of a very pretty wedding this afternoon, in which the principals were Helen May, daughter of Mr. Wright Clarke, and Robert Edwin Blakeslee, of Philadelphia. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. A. Winfield in the presence of a large and fashionable gathering. The bride couple were unattended. The ushers were John C. Trimble, H. M. Murdoch, H. H. Keary and W. D. McLaughlin. The church was adorned with its Christmas decorations and the ceremony was performed beneath the arch and floral bell. The charming young bride, one of our most popular young ladies, was attired in an imported gown of white lace over white taffeta, with pearl trimmings and veil, and carried a bouquet of white and red.

At the conclusion of the ceremony a largely attended reception was held at the bride's home, where the decorations were of green and red. Later the happy couple left on the Washington County, for a tour of leading American cities.

The best wishes of many friends accompany them.

HICKERTON-CLARE.  
SACKVILLE, Dec. 25.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Isiah Hickerton was the scene of a pleasing event on Wednesday evening when their daughter, Daphne, was united in marriage to Walter C. Clare, Rev. E. N. Nobles, tied the nuptial knot in the presence of about twenty of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. The bride was becomingly gowned in brown and white silk and was unattended. After the ceremony and congratulations a wedding supper was served. The house decorations were evergreen and holly. The bride received many valuable presents. The groom's present was a handsome gold bracelet. Mr. and Mrs. Clare will reside in Sackville.

RECENT DEATHS  
GILBERT SHANKLIN.  
The death occurred at 5 o'clock this morning of Mrs. Gilbert Shanklin, at her husband's residence, 312 Brussels street. She was fifty-two years of age and had been in poor health for some time. She is survived by her husband, who is proprietor of a grocery shop on Brussels street and one daughter who resides in the west, and two sons, Frank E. and Roy, both of this city.

MRS. JANET R. BURNS.  
Miss Janet Regina Burns, daughter of Mr. R. Burns, trade instructor in the maritime penitentiary, Dorchester, died recently after an illness of nearly three years with tuberculosis. She was aged sixteen years. Miss Burns was a niece of Mrs. David Connell and Thomas M. Burns, of this city.

OPERA HOUSE  
GRAND HOLIDAY ATTRACTION THE POPULAR  
Robinson Opera Co.  
35 ARTISTS 35  
Including Jack Henderson, Frank D. Nelson, Frank V. French, George A. Pritchard, Rodolph Koch, John Moore, Harry Nelson, Max Kilcayne, Esther Wallace, Essie Barton and Daisy Hayward.  
Wednesday and Thursday Evening, "BOCCACCIO"  
Friday and Saturday Evening, "The Bohemian Girl"  
Saturday Matinee, "Said Pasha"

Beautiful Music, Funny Comedians, Pretty Girls and Gorgeous Costumes. Evening Prices: 15, 25, 50, 75. Matinee Prices: 25c to everybody.

Keith's. Formerly the York Theatre  
Opening Monday Night, Dec. 24. DAILY MATINEES.  
SEE WHAT WE OFFER

LEVINE & LEONARD, Comedy Juglers.  
REIDY & CURRIER, High Class Singers.  
MILTON AND DOLLY NOBLES  
in Mr. Nobles' greatest reformer WHY WALKER REFORMED.  
CARON & HERBERT, Comedy Acrobats.  
WHITTE, Ventriloquist.  
BIOSCOPE, Moving Pictures.  
AND OTHER GREAT ACTS.  
Prices, 10c, and 20c Christmas Matinee, 10c, 20c, 30c. Nights, 10c, 20c and 30c.

DR. CHARLES NEVILL  
News has been received of the death at Sutton, Surrey, England, on the 10th of December, of Dr. Charles Neville, who will be well remembered here. His wife, who is now in England, was Miss Beatrice Hatheway, of this city. Dr. Neville was for many years a physician in the employ of the Allan Line steamship Paritan. He had many friends in Canada, among the travelling public and was particularly well known in Montreal. Dr. Sterling, of that city, and Col. James Peters, of London, Ont., are brothers-in-law.

MRS. MARGARET POSTER.  
Mrs. Margaret Foster died very suddenly on Tuesday at her home, 1 Bellin street, aged fifty-four years. Heart trouble was the cause of death. Deceased, who was the widow of Thomas Foster, had been for some time connected with the yard department of the Intercolonial Railway. She leaves one son and one sister.

MRS. JOHN FITZPATRICK.  
SACKVILLE, Dec. 25.—The death of Mrs. John Fitzpatrick, a respected resident of Port Eglon, occurred at that place on the 21st inst. after a short illness. The deceased was 74 years old. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. John Helm, of Tignish, N. S. and Mrs. Edw. Donlan, of Moncton; and five sons, Micho, Rev. E. N. Nobles, tied the nuptial knot in the presence of about twenty of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. The bride was becomingly gowned in brown and white silk and was unattended. After the ceremony and congratulations a wedding supper was served. The house decorations were evergreen and holly. The bride received many valuable presents. The groom's present was a handsome gold bracelet. Mr. and Mrs. Clare will reside in Sackville.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 25.—A special despatch from Austin, Texas, says: Between \$300 and \$500 stolen by Wm. C. Anderson, former assistant paying teller of the First National Bank of Kansas City, who was arrested here last week, has been found here. According to the agents of the Surety Company, that bonded Anderson, the amount is sufficiently large, with that turned over by Anderson when arrested, to reimburse the company for its \$10,000 bond.

A Few Smokers  
Have not yet tried THE BEST 5c Cigar Ever Sold, the  
PXIE  
Those who buy it once buy it again!  
MADE BY  
NEW BRUNSWICK CIGAR CO  
507 MAIN ST.

THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY,

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On Friday Next  
December 28th, 1906,  
Our Great Two-week  
Overcoat Sale  
WILL BEGIN.

This is a great opportunity for any man to get a new Overcoat for New Year's. Don't hesitate a moment, for we are going to make a thorough clearance of every Overcoat in the store. We have the right kind to suit you and prices to correspond. This will be one of the biggest chance, gentlemen, you have ever had to procure a high grade Overcoat at our price.

Look for further particulars in this space tomorrow. Wait for this Great Two-Week Overcoat Sale--It will be a great money saver. Sale begins Friday, Dec. 28th, '06.

Union Clothing Company,

26-28 Charlotte Street, (Old Y. M. C. A. Building)  
ST. JOHN, N. B.

ALEX. CORBET, Manager.

COST OF LIVING OUTSTRIPS  
GENERAL INCREASE OF INCOME

(Montreal Star.)  
There is no doubt that during the years now drawing to a close, the country generally has been progressive and prosperous to an extent perhaps unequalled by any previous period. The question arises as to what extent this general prosperity has affected the ordinary great masses of the middle class in the matter of the spending value of the dollar. Prices of necessities, there is scarcely any doubt, have advanced in some instances as much as 75 to 100 per cent, as compared with the figures of nine years ago. Is the pace becoming a little too fast for the average person? In some cases wages are being advanced after a weary period of waiting. In a few cases they have advanced materially. On the other hand, in many cases, they remain the same. Not so however, with prices which are advancing right along, affecting almost all classes.

WHAT WILL A DOLLAR BUY?  
The representatives of labor maintain that the condition of the working classes has not improved, certainly not within the last five years.  
The question, however, is not so much the amount of money any individual possesses or earns, but how much his dollar will purchase of the actual necessities of life. The situation in this respect in the United States is getting worse, month by month, as will appear from the Dun Index for December 1, in comparison with last month and a year ago.  
Dec. 1, Dec. 1, Dec. 1  
1906 1905 1904  
Breadstuffs . . . 116.27 115.27 117.28  
Meats . . . 9.79 9.84 8.61  
Dairy and . . . 15.919 14.535 14.911  
Other food . . . 9.877 9.840 9.833  
Total food . . . 451.422 450.386 450.554  
Clothing . . . 15.488 19.175 19.138  
Metals . . . 17.229 17.595 18.075  
Miscellaneous . . . 19.333 19.527 18.650  
Total all . . . 513.812 510.683 510.612  
It will be noticed that the increase for the year is larger than the advance for the month, and if comparison were extended back to the low price point of nine years ago, a large increase would be shown in the prices of what the people have to purchase. In Canada today many persons, who compare what can be bought for a dollar, with what could be obtained for a like amount some years ago, will be disposed to agree with the Conservative Springfield-Republican in its endeavor to show that a nation in a hurry about everything is forgetting the importance of the purchasing power of the dollar. Wages are not increasing in proportion to the cost of living, hence much industrial unrest.

Table with 2 columns: Year (1901, 1906) and various professions (Garment workers, Iron molders, Machinists, etc.)

Advertising has advanced over the ordinary salesman in obtaining an interview. It can usually get inside the prospective buyer's office door and upon his desk. It can usually reach a vantage point which the flesh and blood salesman wildly covets, that of getting face to face with a customer. Ad. Topics.

Politeness.  
"While, what do you understand by politeness?"  
"Not asking for a second piece of pie when you are out visiting."

WAR ON THE  
CLAIRVOYANTS

Legislature of Illinois to Introduce Bill Against Magicians.

Recent Revelations, Especially in the Billek Case, Responsible for the Movement.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—A bill for the suppression of clairvoyants, mediums, and the many varieties of fake fortune tellers that infest Chicago by the hundreds, is to be presented to the legislature at once.  
Aroused by the recent crimes in the city, which have implicated several of this class of swindlers, notably the "Vital murders, which led to the arrest of the fortune teller, Herman Billek, the state legislature expects to take some action to prevent continuation of conditions as bad as the witchcraft and superstition of the middle ages.  
"Black art," magic, charms, amulets, potions—these are the means used by hundreds of impostors to fleece the credulous.

FEDERAL PROSECUTION NEAR.  
United States District Attorney Sims is now investigating the question of the liability of these swindlers and will, if possible, prosecute them under the United States postal laws.  
The case of "Prof." Moreta, who is also charged with having swindled the Vral family after Billek had finished with them, aroused the federal authorities to action.  
"Black art," magic, charms, amulets, potions—these are the means used by hundreds of impostors to fleece the credulous. Because of the magnitude of these swindling operations and the thousands of men and women swindled, the Journal has undertaken an investigation of the methods of clairvoyants, mediums, astro-psychics, spiritualists, palmists, card readers, oculists and astrologists.

PREY UPON THOUSANDS.  
Hundreds of these fakers, impostors and blackmailers prey upon the credulity and foolishness of thousands of men and women every year in Chicago. Many of them have amassed comfortable fortunes and live in luxury upon the proceeds of their wily arts. Their dupes fear to expose them because the secrets will be revealed. Trading on this, these criminals, not content with having obtained money under absurdly false pretences, levy blackmail upon their victims, and threaten to reveal the secrets if they do not acquiesce in their demands. In every part of the city these criminal impostors ply their trade. On the boulevards, the avenues, the side streets, they flaunt themselves, rendered immune from prosecution by the fear and the ignorance of those whom they deceive.

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FOR SALE—Mare for sale, 1400 lbs. in foal. A. DEWAR, Lunenburg Heights, 22-12-6  
FOR SALE—Large stocks Mince 133 Phone. JOHN HOPKINS, 21-12-1 mo.  
FOR SALE—Two single sleighs in good order. M. COWAN, 18 Cedar St 8-12-im.  
FOR SALE—Framers 25c up; Hocke Skates 50c up; Acme Skates 50c up; Pocket Knives 5c up; Children's Snow Shovels, 15c.; Men's 25c. Everything marked in plain figures at DUVALL'S, 11 Waterloo St. 12-12-11.  
FOR SALE—About twenty new and second-hand delivery Wagons, coaches, and 2 horses, carriages, office styles, ready for use, glass from coach, new trimmings, well painted; 1 first class coach very cheap; also three extra good carriages; best place in the city for painting and greatest facilities for carriage repairs. A. G. EDGEE COMBE, 115 and 123 City Road. 12-12-11.  
GASOLINE ENGINES.—Stationary, Portable and Marine—any Horse Power, 2 and 4 Cycle, Stationary, Concrete Mixers, Grain Grinding, Thrashing and other uses. See our pleasure and profit sale books at the St. John Exhibition. TORONTO GAS AND GASOLINE ENGINE CO. LTD., 51 Water Street, St. John, N. B.  
ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS  
FRANK E. JONES, Electrical Engineer and Contractor. All branches of electrical work undertaken including lighting plants, telephones, electric bells and annunciators. Office 555 Prince William St. Phone 444. Residence 140 Broad St.  
TO LET.  
TO LET—Two small self-contained houses, 391 Haymarket Square. 9-10-11  
WANTED  
An experienced stenographer owning typewriter would supply a few hours each day or take position by the week. MISS G. STICKNEY, 104 Carmarthen Street.  
WANTED—A man with good business experience, wants a partnership in an established manufacturing or wholesale business. Can furnish capital. Apply to "PARTNER," P. O. Box 1 Saint John, N. B. 3-11-11  
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NICE UNFURNISHED ROOM with two closets to let. General girls can always get best places by applying to MISS HANSON, Employment Office, 193 Charlotte Street.  
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Pants and Overalls  
Here is the place to do your shopping in the above line. You buy them direct from the factory and save a third of your money.  
Men's Working Pants . . . . .85c up  
Boys' Working Pants . . . . .50c up  
Men's Overall Suits . . . . .85c up  
Other lines of Gent's Furnishings at low prices. Call in once and you'll be sure to call again.  
J. ASHKINS, 655 Main St. 17-12-11  
How can I marry the one I choose?  
How can I marry well?  
How soon can I marry?  
How can I conquer my rival?  
How can I make any one love me?  
How soon will my lover propose?  
How can I get a letter?  
How can I get a good position?  
How can I remove bad influences?  
How can I control any one?  
How many distant ones think of me?  
How can I set my quarrel?  
How can I hold my husband's love?  
How can I keep my wife's love?

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esser and Stand, with Bevelled British Plate Mirror . . . . . \$7 85  
Junges, with Golden Oak Finished Frames, 4 15  
Tables, in all the different woods, from . . . . . 43  
deboards, Golden Oak finish, from . . . . . 8 50  
English Oilcloth at 24c and 28c per yard.  
rpets, all reduced 33 1-3 per cent.

George E. Smith, 18 King St.  
Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths.

SMITH'S Fish are Good.  
Everything clean and up-to-date

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Furs, Furs, -Bargains in Furs  
Money back has been our motto, if better values can be procured, quickly considered. No come back's yet.  
BARDSELY, the Hatter, 179 Union st. Phone 409E  
Your old hat blocked to look like new.

ILLIONAIRE GAME  
DID NOT LAST LONG  
Man Supposed to be Wealthy  
Did His Friends up  
Brown.  
Was Thought to be Wealthy Miner, But  
Finally Lands in Hands  
of the Police.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 28.—Quite the funniest story that has got loose in Vancouver in years is being told in certain circles.  
A couple of weeks ago, a well known Vancouverite who happened to be in Seattle on business was put up at one of the most exclusive clubs in that city by a friend of his, a doctor. It was but a moment after he had signed the visitor's register that he was introduced to a "man from the north," a man with the best of connections in Seattle and Tacoma, who, it was said, had just arrived from Dawson after spending some ten or eleven years "inside." The Vancouver man had many a pleasant conversation and many an equally pleasant drink with the southerner. He was surprised to find the Klondiker on the same boat returning to Vancouver, but on arrival introduced him to many of the best known business men in the city. From the moment of his arrival the stranger showed himself to be all kinds of a good fellow. He appeared to have plenty of cash and spent it with a recklessness that nearly broke several young men about town in the effort to keep up with him. He put up at a well known hotel, and had soon won the hearts of ladies and children by buying the children \$25 dolls. Incidentally, he made himself solid with the proprietor by buying nothing but wine and plenty of that. He visited real estate offices and soon was a doctor in different deals running up to hundreds of thousands on hand.  
He took to buying mining claims, or rather, to saying that he would buy them, and soon had brokers feeling that they were potential millionaires. After a few days he knew nearly every one in town, could call every "bar-keeper" by his first name and was voted on every side a real spot from the north. And the funniest part of it was that he looked the part. Rough clothes, soft shirts and collars, starch hat, no "side" whatever, and a simple ingenuousness that disarmed possible criticism.

Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, excepting 8 and 55, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.  
Entry must be made personally, at the local land office for the district in which the land is situated.  
The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans:  
(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.  
(2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased) of the homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.  
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Six months' notice in writing should be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of intention to apply for patent.  
W. W. CONY,  
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior, N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

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Borrow on the Security of Leasehold Premises the Sum of \$1500.00 Building in Course of Construction Lost When Finished About \$4000.00 Address Solicitor P. O. Box 21 St. John

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Do you need one? If you do see what we can do for you for little money. "Turner-tailored" garments are stylish and up-to-date. Being made right they keep their shape.

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Two Stores,  
173 Union St., Phone 1161,  
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**ONLY A FEW**  
more days than the "Christmas Bells" will ring.



It's time for you to decide what you shall give in the way of presents. Something in JEWELRY would be the most appropriate thing. It is close to the heart of everyone and nothing would be more appreciated.

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**Buy Your Coal From The GARSON COAL CO.**  
Best quality, good weight, and satisfactory delivery, lowest price.

**WOOD**—When you are thinking of Wood—Hard, Soft or Kindling—call up 468.

**City Fuel Co.,**  
City Road.

## NOTICE.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Saint John Opera House Company will be held in the Opera House on Thursday, January 2nd, at 8:30 p. m.

## THE G.T.P. AND SASKATOON

East Side of Section 21 Reported As Their Property—Town Site Lots Off Market

(Saskatoon Phoenix, Dec. 26.) Real estate circles are much perturbed today over the report that the G. T. P. have bought the east half of section twenty-one. The report is given support by the fact that Nutana town site lots were yesterday taken off the market by instruction of G. Powell, Toronto.

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## ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., DEC. 27, 1906.

## THE LOWER ANIMALS.

What can be said of a man who got drunk at Christmas? The name of it is too good for such a creature. T. Bruce who beats his wife is a shabby example of virtue compared with a lower animal who so far forgets his self and what he owes to his fam as to go rolling home in a disgusting condition on the one day of the year on which he should try to make other people happy. Christmas ought to be a day of joy for all, but yesterday thirty-eight names appeared on the police court sheets, the greater majority of them representing degenerates who by their contemptible conduct brought misery to their homes. T. say drunkenness is a disease. In many cases it is like small boy's tooth which develops just at the proper time to suit his inclination and disappears when the time for going to school passes. That kind of toothache is quickly cured with a slipper; grow up who fall so low as to destroy their families and friends the mean of a sacred holiday, should get horsewhipped. They deserve nothing else. Fines of eight dollars only add to a suffering of their families and do not cure the offenders themselves.

As a rule we are inclined to be amused by the reports of the police court proceedings on the day following Christmas. We seldom think of looking deeper to find out the meaning of a few words which say that "and-so was drunk on Monday night. One instance came to the notice of the Star yesterday, the principal victim being a hard-working woman in poor circumstances who had been looking forward to a day's rest with perhaps a little pleasure thrown in. Her husband went home drunk, and instead of a gift for her he had a couple of bottles of gin under his arm. He continued drinking until finally she succeeded in getting hold of one of the bottles and threw it out the window. When the other was finished, he went out, bought more liquor, was arrested, and, of course, as might be expected from such a specimen, paid his fine with money that his wife had earned by scrubbing. It is not much wonder that in telling of the circumstances this poor woman added, "He works on the boats, there are eight long-shoemen now in the hospital, but it seems that nothing can ever happen to him."

## IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

British Columbia is now engaged in another political contest, and recently the labor members held the balance, and by throwing their votes to the side of the McBride ministry the latter was able to pull through. Then the labor men became a little too imperative in their demands, their programme was rather advanced for British Columbia ideas, and consequently in by-elections the party in power, so-called, made some gains gave it a majority of one. This, however, is scarcely all that is needed, for though the laborites have not been antagonized they are liable to veer at any moment and the government might easily be ousted.

Since Premier McBride assumed control there have been a number of unsavory incidents unconnected in connection with the administration of different departments. These, no doubt, would tell against the party, and to counteract in a measure any influence from this source, Dr. Green, commissioner of lands, has retired. This step will undoubtedly appease some, but at the same time it will probably be shown that the government has lost ground. Hence, in order to prevent further loss by a lengthy campaign, the elections have been called for February 2nd. There are several live questions in British Columbia, the policy of dealing with Hindu immigration being one of them, and it is easy to realize that the labor members may before the new house meets, be materially increased in numbers.

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Unknown Persons Threaten to Blow Up the Train Unless \$25,000 is Paid

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Ma Fodderhucks — Pa, what dew they mean by that expression, "teachin' the young idea how to shoot?"  
Pa Fodderhucks — Trigonometry, I presume.

## NOT DAMAGED BY WATER, EITHER.

She—Oh, we had a delightful sail—and just think, the boat cost us only twenty cents an hour.  
He—That's why you liked it. It was a regular bargain sail.

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He—I want a wife who is easily pleased.  
One of the girls—Don't worry, Jack; that is the kind you'll get.

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"Keep on boardin'," answered the young man gloomily. "There's nothing else."

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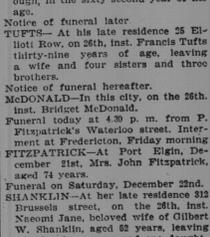
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In new goods, and an endless variety from which to choose your Holiday Gifts. Come early.

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Diamond Dealers & Jewelers,  
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**CHAS. A. CLARK,**  
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## Fruit Cake, White Cake,

From 10c. to 25c. a pound.

**NIKI'S BAKERY,**  
194 Metcal St., Branch 66 Wall St. Phone 1235.

## LIFE SENTENCE FOR NOTORIOUS ROBBER

George Everson Who Stole Money in Charleston and Shot a Policeman, Will Spend the Rest of His Days in Jail

BOSTON, Dec. 26.—A life sentence in state prison for robbery which involved the shooting of a police officer, was imposed on George W. Everson of Charleston in the Superior Court today. Two accomplices were also found guilty, and one of them, Alfred D. Morse, received a sentence of not less than 12 nor more than 20 years in prison, but the third robber, Fred Sackett, pleaded so effectively with the court, clerk, and judge, that he was permitted to commit the crime by the others at the point of a revolver, that Judge Sherman rescinded the judgment of the court until later.

## The Bottle THAT Comforts!

It would be hard to find anything that will afford the comfort that a good hot water bottle will.

## Warming Cold Feet

is but a small part of their mission. Wherever there is pain they will relieve. The hot water bottles we carry are the all-rubber kind and are guaranteed. The prices are \$1.00, \$1.25 and up.

## E. CLINTON BROWN, DRUGGIST,

Corner Union and Waterloo Streets Phone 1000.

## Dr. C. Sydney Emerson, DENTIST,

31 Wellington Row. Perchlorine Work a Specialty

## The Surest Way to take away wrinkles from the face, to clear the complexion and to make the countenance look calm, clean and contented, is NOT powder or drug of any kind, but simply a cup of hot TIGER C. TEA.

Actually I have tried it and, to my surprise, one teaspoonful of the dry tea makes six cups of invigorating tea.

## MARRIAGES.

ROBERTSON-SCOTT.—At Stonehaven, Dec. 12, by Rev. J. M. Sutherland, Frederick George Robertson of Bathurst and Miss Mary Emily Scott of Stonehaven.

## DEATHS.

ANSBOROUGH.—In this city on the 26th, inst. Michael Edward Ansborough, in the sixty-second year of his age. Notice of funeral later.

TURTS.—At his late residence 25 El-Hott Row, on 26th, inst. Francis Turts thirty-nine years of age, leaving a wife and four sisters and three brothers. Notice of funeral hereafter.

McDONALD.—In this city, on the 26th, inst. Bridget McDonald. Funeral today at 4:30 p. m. from P. Fitzpatrick's Waterloo street. Interment at Fredericton, Friday morning.

FITZPATRICK.—At Port Elgin, December 21st, Mrs. John Fitzpatrick, aged 74 years. Funeral on Saturday, December 22nd.

SHANKLIN.—At her late residence 312 Brussels street, on the 25th, inst. Naomi Jane, beloved wife of Gilbert W. Shanklin, aged 62 years, leaving a husband, two sons and one daughter to mourn their sad loss. Remains will be conveyed by I. C. R. train on Friday morning, Dec. 28th, to Pelicote Creek for interment.

## Slippers & Christmas.

Telephone, 1902a. WISE OLD SANTA CLAUS

Will buy more slippers this year than ever before. He considers Slippers one of the most useful Christmas Gifts than can be made. Many and many a foot is now wondering if Santa Claus will bring a pair of nice warm SLIPPERS on Christmas morning. Some are little feet, some are big feet, but all feet are alike to Santa Claus—he will bring them, if you but give him the hint. Put "Slippers" on your gift list—Santa Claus will do the rest.

Pietty here to please every Man, Woman or Child. Slippers of all kinds and for all purposes. Slipper economy and Slipper elegance, Slippers from 70c. to \$2.00. This way for Christmas Slippers.

**D. MONAHAN,**  
32 Charlotte Street.

## Useful Presents

are usually more appreciated now-a-days than those merely ornamental. What would be acceptable to mother or sister than a pair of OVERSHOES, or would a father or brother like a pair of SLIPPERS or nice SHOES. We have the best in these lines, and if your selection doesn't fit the recipient we will gladly change them. Come in and see. Remember Our Free Gift Distribution Coupons with Every Dollar Purchase.

**SANBORN'S SHOE STORE, 339 Main St.**



No need of coughing your lungs away and earning the keen glance of the passing undertaker, when an un-falling and RELIABLE COUGH CURE awaits you always here. Life isn't worth living until that cough's cured. Call on our up-to-date prescription department, and that "honk-honk" that's splitting open your throat will vanish. Why delay? Make us prove our boast. Complete line of Drugs, Toilet requisites, etc.

**W. J. McMILLIN, Pharmacist**  
Phone 950, 625 Main St.

## ARRIVED AT LAST

A FURTHER SHIPMENT OF Lamps, Globes and Shades Prices Very Low on Saturday and Monday See the Daylight Burner in Our Window.

**The Saint John Ayer Light Co., Ltd.,**  
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"Want Ad." Business of its district, is assuredly THE BEST Result getter in that Section. The ST. JOHN STAR Prints More "Want Ads." than Any Other St. John Paper. It is the Unrivaled and Recognized "Want Ad." Medium of St. John.

## GAVE CARBOLIC ACID TO THE PRISONER

A Double Tragedy Rids the World of People Who are Better Dead

ELMIRA, N. Y., Dec. 24.—White talking with Beasts Wells in the Elmira County jail tonight, Frank Delaney suddenly passed a vial of carbolic acid to her through the bars of her cell and then pressed a second bottle to his own lips.

A guard who was watching Delaney during his interview with the woman, attempted to arrest the passage of the acid but he was too late. Before a physician could reach the jail corridor both the woman and her interviewer were dead.

Beasts Wells occupied a cell in the woman's dormitory, awaiting sentence which was to have been imposed January 2, on a charge of abducting a young girl and harboring her for immoral purposes.

Delaney possessing a power of attorney for the woman, called at the jail today and told the warden that he wanted to obtain the woman's signature to some papers. Accompanied by a guard he was taken to her cell, the guard remaining close by during the conversation.

Suddenly Delaney handed a bottle of poison through the bars of the cell door and as the guard started forward placed a second bottle to his own mouth.

Delaney was 29 years old and a railroad man. He comes from a respectable family. The man is said to have been a lover of Miss Wells.

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## LOST HIS LIFE WHILE TRYING TO SAVE A BOY

John Arke Who Put His Trust in a Clothesline Broke Through the Ice and Was Drowned

MORRISTOWN, N. J., Dec. 26.—George Davis, aged 23, today lost his life in an unsuccessful attempt to rescue John Arke, an eight year old boy, from drowning. The drowning took place before the eyes of Davis' young wife. The boy went out on the ice on Rockaway River and broke through. Davis and his wife saw the boy drop into the water and ran to his aid. Davis cut down the clothesline in his yard and tied one end about his waist. He gave the other end to his wife and went out toward Arke, who was foundering about the broken ice. Lying down Davis reached out, got hold of the boy and shouted to his wife to haul in on the rope. She did so and drew her husband back from the hole until the boy was out of the water and on the ice. As she started to pull again the rope broke and the man and boy slid back into the hole and sank. The bodies were not recovered.

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## Here's a Bargain.

We have a few pairs of  
Women's High Cut Snow Excluder  
Overshoes Left,

which we are going to mark down to

**\$1.75**

These Overshoes are bright  
and fresh goods, and were  
selling for \$2.50.

**Central Shoe Store,**  
122 MILL ST.

## Christmas Over, Now for New Year Gifts.

You will find lots of pretty things, both  
useful and ornamental, at

**A. B. WETMORE'S, 59 Garden Street.**

## "Silent" Parlor Matches

Everybody, Everywhere, Every Time.

Ask your grocer for them. Made by Canada's Match Makers,  
THE S. B. EDDY CO.

**SCHOFIELD BROS.,**  
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## IF YOU WANT TO

SELL  
A STORE,  
SHOP, FACTORY,  
HOUSE  
-OR-

WANT  
A MAID,  
COOK, NURSE, OR  
TEAM-  
STER

## ADVERTISE IN THE STAR

### FEAR THAT POLICE PATROL LAUNCH HAS BEEN LOST

Naptha Boat from New York With Three  
Officers on Board Probably Destroyed  
in the Ice.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Police launch  
No. 6, a small boat of the naptha pattern,  
with three patrolmen aboard, is missing  
tonight and it is feared that the  
little craft and its crew are lost.  
The launch left Canarsie police station,  
Brooklyn, early today for Sheephead  
Bay with Patrolmen John Walker,  
Frank Ford and Wm. H. Walker  
aboard. She was last seen about noon  
off Sheephead battling with the ice  
floes and apparently trying to make  
the open water.  
Later the launch was lost sight of  
and has not been seen or heard of  
since. Police Sergeant Paulding, on  
duty on the Government pier in Lower  
New York, tonight said the launch  
might have blown up, but that even  
if the crew escaped drowning they  
must be suffering from the cold. He  
received a telephone message late to-  
night from Roundsman Hallock, in  
charge of the harbor police patrol  
steamer now searching for the launch,  
saying he had not located it.

The patrol steamer carries a crew  
of ten men, and extra policemen were  
sent along. Lifeboats which the  
patrol also carries, may be pressed into  
service to make a search along shore  
for the missing patrolmen.  
It is not believed the launch was  
blown out to sea, as the wind has  
blown in-shore all day, but it is  
thought that the craft might have  
been crushed by the ice and sank, or  
it may have blown up.

**CONTEMPT.**  
John Phillip Sousa was condemning  
the law, says the New York Tribune,  
that allows certain talking machine  
companies to make records of his  
marches and sell them broadcast with-  
out paying him a single penny for the  
privilege.  
"I have only contempt for such a  
law as that," said the great band-  
master. "When I think of the injustice  
of it I boil over with contempt. I re-  
mind myself of a Washingtonian who  
was hauled before a magistrate for com-  
mitting a nuisance.  
"The Washingtonian had committed  
no nuisance, but, nevertheless, the  
decision went against him, and he was nat-  
urally incensed. Forgetting himself,  
he told the magistrate what he thought  
of him and was fined \$5 for contempt.  
"He produced an \$10 bill to pay the  
fine with. The clerk took it, searched  
his drawer, then made as if to hand  
the bill back again.  
"I have no change," he said.  
"Oh, never mind about the change,"  
snorted my friend. "Keep it. I'll take  
it out in contempt."

## Cut Prices Before Stock Taking.

- Table Raisins, 20c lb, now 15c.  
30c lb, now 20c; 40c lb, now 25c.
- Large Prunes, new stock,  
15c. size, now 11c lb.
- Knox's Gelatine, 2 pkgs. for 25c.
- Citron Peel, 20c lb.
- Lemon Peel, 10c lb.
- Orange Peel, 10c lb.
- Smith's Original Camp Coffee,  
20c size, now 12c bottle
- Mixed Candy 10c lb, now 7c.
- Gilt Edge Soap, 4c cake, 7 for 25c
- Grape Fruit, 5c each, \$3.50 case.
- Baker's Cocoa, 1-2 lb tins, 22c
- Baker's Chocolate, 1-2 lb. cake, 21c

## XMAS COSSAGUES FOR JUST HALF PRICE.

- Cow Brand Soda, 3c. package
- Cadbury's Chocolates  
In Fancy Boxes,  
2c, 7c, 15c up
- Milk Chocolate, 5c size, 3c
- Milk Chocolate, 60c lb, now 40c
- Jelly Powder, 10c lb, now 7c
- Canned Beans, 10c size, now 7c
- Wood Pipes, SPECIAL VALUES,  
20c each, 3 for 50c

Warranted All Havana Cigars, 4c. each.

ALSO—NUMEROUS OTHER LINES  
These prices hold good for  
CASH SALES ONLY

**WALTER GILBERT,**  
143 Charlotte St., Cor. Princess St.  
Tel. 812.

## CHRISTMAS IN ROTHESAY AND ITS VICINITY

Many Family Reunions Were Held on  
Both Sides of the Kennebecasis—  
Old Names Recalled

(Special Correspondence of the Sun.)  
ROTHESAY, Dec. 26.—The fears of a  
real green Christmas proved ground-  
less. The sleighing was still with us  
though little of it, and some teams  
ventured upon the ice to cross the  
river. Many family reunions were held  
on both sides of the Kennebecasis and  
the pleasant weather added much to  
the enjoyment of the day. There was  
service in St. Paul's church in the  
morning and the rector, Rev. A. W.  
Daniel preached. The church was beauti-  
fully decorated, the work of the young  
ladies of the congregation.  
Miss Jean Daniel, who remained in  
Ontario some time after the return of  
her mother is home again.  
Rev. Mr. Trompou, of the Rothesay  
staff went to the Upper Provinces to  
spend his vacation. C. W. Lawson,  
another member also went to his home  
in the west side of St. John to spend  
the holidays, while Messrs. McEvoy and  
Page of the staff remain in Rothesay.  
Cecil Merritt, who is book keeper for  
a lumber firm in Perth was home to  
spend Christmas with his sister Mrs.  
J. E. Robertson.  
Capt. Robert Earle and Mrs. Earle,  
and Robert and Isabel, of Hampton,  
were the guests of Mrs. Earle's mother  
Mrs. Catheline, Christmas day.  
Mrs. Grahame met with a painful  
accident Monday morning by the up-  
setting of a tea kettle which scalded  
her leg and foot badly.  
Gilbert, son of George Vincent, has  
left Rothesay to accept a position as  
street car conductor in St. John.  
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Vincent, and  
family spent Christmas day with Mr.  
Vincent's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M.  
Saunders, Messrs. Kennedy and Gillis,  
of St. Andrews spent the holidays with  
friends on the Gondola Point Road.  
Herbert Saunders, who was taken  
severely ill in the woods a few days  
ago is able to be out again.  
Mrs. John Cameron's friends will re-  
gret to learn that she is confined to  
her home with a severe illness.  
Miss Louise Pettigall reached home  
from Queens county Saturday evening  
to spend the school vacation with her  
parents.  
Mrs. Philmore, the daughter of Mr.  
and Mrs. Arthur Marr, with her hus-  
band and family, spent Christmas with  
her parents.  
Manton Harrison of Gondola Point,  
arrived home Saturday night and re-  
mained until Wednesday morning.  
Arthur Kirkpatrick and Sidney Saun-  
ders both managed to get home to give  
their respective seasons greetings from  
their friends.  
David Kirkpatrick, who has been in  
Sussex with his family for several  
months, returned home Saturday night.  
The old gentleman is almost well again  
and his vitality is beginning to show  
itself.  
Alfred Kirkpatrick and his wife and  
his brother Robert came from Sussex  
to spend a few days with friends in the  
Cove.  
Miss Celia Gallagher, who has taught  
the school on the Cove Road for some  
time, will not return after the vaca-  
tion.  
Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Vincent and  
their son Alec, were guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. Chester Vincent Christmas day.  
Thomas Bell surprised the ladies  
upon his new house the day before  
Christmas by the presentation of a  
turkey to each.  
There was an interesting debate in  
Gardfield hall Friday evening in which  
many took part. Lifeboats which the  
happy arguments as to whether men  
or women were the greatest gossip.  
The next subject to be discussed is: Which  
is preferable for a youth, up to the age  
of eighteen, city or country life?  
Mrs. E. S. Carter, with Miss Royce  
and Master George Carter, went to  
Fredericton Saturday to spend ten  
days with Mrs. Carter's mother, Mrs.  
Fenety.  
St. John people and New Brunswick-  
ers generally can recall the names of  
some men who have passed away  
easier than they can others. To show  
how they will be assisted in this it is  
only necessary to print the full Chris-  
tian names of the boys attending a  
public school. Rothesay College for  
Boys has no doubt more sons or de-  
scendants of men who were prominent  
when living than any other institution  
of its kind in this section. Looking  
over the names of the boys one can find  
a Wallace Turnbull—a grandson of one  
of St. John's merchant princes. There  
is a Tom, a Bradford and a James Gil-  
bert—more of St. John stock; a Wal-  
lace Logan, son of the eloquent M. P.  
of that name, comes from Amherst,  
Nova Scotia; a Wallace Alward from  
St. John, as well as a Malcolm McKay  
and a Charles Nevill. The North Shore  
has a young Davis Ritchie here, An-  
napolis a Charles Whitman, Dorches-  
ter a William McQueen, Halifax a  
Geoffrey Morrow. A youthful Ward  
Pitfield is a reminder of an energetic  
merchant. Hawkeshaw, York Co., sends  
a Ralph Shaw, while St. John has an-  
other familiar combination in Ewing  
Sandall's name.

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## COMMERCIAL

WALL STREET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The stock  
market opened buoyant, prices of  
stocks rose buoyantly on a moderate  
volume of opening dealings, the Trans-  
continental railroad leading. London  
sent wide advances in the quotations  
in the American in the resumption of  
business after the holiday and this  
helped the advance here.

### BANK CLEARINGS.

Clearings for week ending Thursday,  
Dec. 27th, \$1,136,948. Corresponding  
week last year, \$917,906.

### NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Chicago Market Report and New York  
Cotton Market.  
(Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker  
and Broker.)  
St. John, N. B., Dec. 27, 1906.

St. John, N. B., Dec. 27, 1906.	Wed. Thurs.	CFR, Op'r Noon
Amalg. Copper . . . . .	114 1/2	114 1/2
Anaconda . . . . .	28 1/2	28 1/2
Am. Sugar Refr. . . . .	131 1/2	131 1/2
N. Y. Central . . . . .	129	129
Am. Express . . . . .	148 1/2	148 1/2
Am. Car Foundry . . . . .	43 1/2	43 1/2
Atchafalaya . . . . .	101 1/2	101 1/2
Canadian Pacific . . . . .	71 1/2	71 1/2
Brook. Rfd. Trst. . . . .	79 1/2	79 1/2
Balt. and Ohio . . . . .	118 1/2	118 1/2
Cheam. and Ohio . . . . .	56	56
Canadian Pacifc . . . . .	191 1/2	191 1/2
Chi. and G. West. . . . .	17 1/2	17 1/2
Consolidated Gas . . . . .	58 1/2	58 1/2
Consolidated Gas . . . . .	137 1/2	137 1/2
Erle . . . . .	49 1/2	49 1/2
Highland . . . . .	114 1/2	114 1/2
Kansas and Texas . . . . .	40 1/2	40 1/2
Louis. and Nash. . . . .	142 1/2	142 1/2
Mexican Central . . . . .	27 1/2	27 1/2
Missouri Pacific . . . . .	93 1/2	93 1/2
Nor. and Western . . . . .	91	90 1/2
Ont. and Western . . . . .	47 1/2	47 1/2
Pacific Mail . . . . .	37	37
Res. C. and Gas Co. . . . .	97 1/2	97 1/2
Reading . . . . .	131 1/2	131 1/2
Republic Steel . . . . .	38	38
Pennsylvania . . . . .	127 1/2	127 1/2
Rock Island . . . . .	29 1/2	29 1/2
St. Paul . . . . .	149 1/2	149 1/2
St. Louis . . . . .	22 1/2	22 1/2
St. Paul Dis. . . . .	33 1/2	33 1/2
Southern Pacific . . . . .	91 1/2	91 1/2
Northern Pacific . . . . .	17 1/2	17 1/2
Twin City . . . . .	102 1/2	102 1/2
Texas Pacific . . . . .	34 1/2	34 1/2
Union Pacific . . . . .	179 1/2	179 1/2
U. S. Steel . . . . .	47 1/2	47 1/2
U. S. Steel, pfd. . . . .	103 1/2	103 1/2
Sales yesterday, 593,500 shares.		

### MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Wed. Thurs.  
CFR, Op'r Noon  
Dec. corn . . . . . 41 1/2  
wheat . . . . . 73 1/2  
oats . . . . . 35 1/2  
May . . . . . 43 1/2  
wheat . . . . . 77 1/2  
oats . . . . . 35 1/2

### CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Wed. Thurs.  
CFR, Op'r Noon  
Dom. Coal . . . . . 62 1/2  
Dom. Iron and Steel 22 1/2  
Dom. I. and S. pfd . . . . . 83 1/2  
Nova Scotia Steel . . . . . 71 1/2  
C. P. R. . . . . 192 1/2  
Twin City . . . . . 91 1/2  
Toronto Ralls. . . . . 89 1/2  
Detroit United . . . . . 89 1/2

### NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Wed. Thurs.  
CFR, Op'r Noon  
December . . . . . 9.10  
January . . . . . 9.12  
March . . . . . 9.43  
May . . . . . 9.63  
July . . . . . 9.74

Would you have your town satisfac-  
tory to yourselves, satisfactory to your  
visitors, good enough for your chil-  
dren, so progressive, so pleasant, so  
filled with every needed advantage,  
that your sons can afford to make the  
town of their childhood the home-town  
of their life and business, and your  
daughters may not be driven across its  
borders in search of husbands? Let  
your local duty be your first duty.  
There can be no second duty while the  
first duty remains unattended to. There  
cannot be business without customers.  
You are the customer. Don't go to the  
distant city a-shopping or a-buying un-  
less necessity demands.  
Give your local stores the first chance.  
—Nathl. C. Fowler, Jr., of Boston, in  
an address to women.



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## PERSONALS

Mr. Ernest H. Titus wishes to  
thank her friends and Orangetown for  
their kindness in her sad bereavement.  
Roger Hunter, Jr., of Carmarthen  
street is confined to his home through  
illness.  
Archie McLean, son of Wm. Mc-  
Lean, principal of Aberdeen school,  
is in the city again in the interests of  
the W. A. Game Co. of Toronto. Mr.  
McLean has been for over a year on  
one of the western circuits for the Game  
people, and is now succeeding Mr.  
Anselmy, who has been the resident re-  
presentative of the Toronto house in  
this city for a long time. The many  
friends of Mr. McLean will be much  
pleased to learn of his rapid success  
which he doubtless merits.

## RUSSIAN CONSUL SUICIDES.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 27.—The Russian  
consul here, Colonel De Genneman, was  
found dead in bed today of a pistol  
shot. Whether he was murdered or  
committed suicide has not been de-  
termined, but it is believed that he took  
his own life.

## FIRE IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Fire early today  
destroyed the building in Lake street  
occupied by the Corbin Screw Com-  
pany, the Robinson Furnace Company  
and George K. Bishop, manufacturer  
of handaws. The fire spread to the  
building occupied by the hardware  
house of Lusk, White and Cowdige,  
the Reading Hardware Company, and  
the Universal Showcases Company  
where the damage is estimated at \$25-  
200. The total loss is \$150,000.

## BUDAPEST, Dec. 27.—Count Eu- gene Zichy, the Hungarian statesman and Central Asian explorer, is dead here of apoplexy. He was born in 1827.

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December 27, 1906

NOMINATIONS IN RESTIGOUCHE

W. Currie, Liberal and J. E. Stewart, Conservative

Speeches by Hon. Mr. LaBillois and Others—Liberal Meeting at Hampton Last Night

DALHOUSIE, N. B., Dec. 25.—William Currie, merchant, of Campbellton was nominated as the government candidate and James E. Stewart, farmer, of Dalhousie as the opposition candidate. Both candidates spoke briefly and well.

Hon. Mr. LaBillois followed in a two hours' speech, explaining the road act and defending the government's general policy. The chief commissioner received a splendid hearing. He was loudly applauded as he pointed out the improvements that the government had made in Restigouche, and he took pains in saying that every county in the province had received just treatment. He showed any man in New Brunswick to do what the government would do in the smallest detail. He predicted that the government would sweep the province at the general election.

John Morley, M. P., spoke briefly for the opposition. He favored the change in the road law, doing away with statute labor, but said that the council should appoint the superintendents. Mr. Mott, M. P., and W. W. Hubbard were present, but were not asked to speak, and the proceedings closed. There was a big crowd present, and the best order prevailed. The government candidate is certain of success.

HAMPTON, N. B., Dec. 25.—At a meeting of the Liberal party of this parish, held at the court house this evening, J. M. Scovil was elected chairman, and R. H. Smith, secretary. The following were appointed delegates to the provincial convention to be held in St. John tomorrow and Friday: Wm. Gilliland, R. H. Smith, J. M. Scovil, S. H. Flawelling, E. C. Evans, John B. Coleman, Geo. E. Ketchum, Capt. A. T. Mabee and Clarence Spooner.

It was also decided to call another meeting of the party for the evening of Saturday, January 6th, at the Court House, for the purpose of organizing and electing officers.

Several speeches were made and among other suggestions were the necessity for a better service for the election, the securing of a shrewd representative at the provincial elections, which the attorney general has intimated might be brought on next spring.

Hon. A. B. White today came from St. Martin's, where he spent Christmas, but was unable to remain over to the meeting. Mrs. F. King, M. P., was also absent, not having returned from a Christmas jaunt to Great Salmon River. G. G. Scovil, M. P., was also unable to attend by reason of the illness of his daughter.

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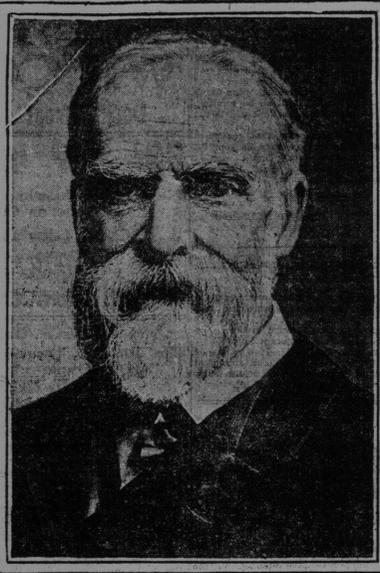
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MOREY ONLY TOOK THE AMOUNT DUE HIM. The case against Geo. Morey, the Assyrion who was charged with not paying over money collected for an immigrant named Joseph Mahomet was heard before Magistrate Ritchie yesterday and dismissed. He was able to show that the gentleman with the distinguished name owed him \$4 for sixteen nights' lodging and \$2.25 for cash supplied.

The immigrant had received a money order for \$50 and Morey took what was coming to him from this amount. The immigrant thought he should receive \$23, but when the case was made plain and the tangle straightened out by the magistrate it was seen that Morey had committed no offense, and the plaintiff received his money with a reduction of \$2.25 for Morey.

PEOPLE OF SOUTH ABERDEEN REGRET RETIREMENT OF JAMES BRYCE, NEW AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES

Sir Mortimer Durand's Successor is a Man of High Literary Standing, and Represented Most Intellectual Constituency in the United Kingdom—Retiring Ambassador Sails December 29



JAMES BRYCE

Mr. Bryce, Chief Secretary for Ireland, has been chosen as British Ambassador to the United States to succeed Sir Henry Mortimer Durand. Formal announcement of the appointment will be made as soon as the British Cabinet is reorganized. Mr. Bryce is a lawyer, statesman, author and scholar. He is widely known in this country as the writer of "The American Commonwealth."

ABERDEEN, Scotland, Dec. 26.—James Bryce, who is to succeed Sir Mortimer Durand as British Ambassador at Washington has given his constituents here the first definite information of his selection for the Washington post. In a letter which he has just received, in this communication Mr. Bryce asks the appointment will compel him to give up his seat for South Aberdeen. The retirement of Mr. Bryce causes genuine regret as his scholarly qualities made him peculiarly qualified to represent the constituency which has the reputation of being the most intellectual in the United Kingdom. Aberdeen enjoys the unusual distinction of not having an illiterate voter. No plans have yet been made for the choice of a successor of Mr. Bryce in Parliament but it will probably be made from the literary class.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, the retiring British Ambassador, and Lady Durand will sail for England Dec. 29. Esme Howard, counsel of the Embassy will act as Charge d'Affaires until the arrival of James Bryce, the new Ambassador.

MONTECALVO, Italy, Dec. 26.—Further facts were received by L. O. Armstrong, colonization agent of the C. P. R., today which deal with the discovery of oil in Mantoulin Island, Lake Huron. It is now known that 100 wells have been sunk at a cost of about \$600 each and as a result the discoverers believe that they have an even greater oil ground than Pennsylvania had in its greatest days. To add to this, St. Joseph Island, which is of the same geological formation as Mantoulin, is known to have the same oil qualities.

In Pennsylvania it is used to cost \$1,500 to sink a well as against \$200 in Canada today. There is a belief in many quarters that this is the beginning of a great rival to the standard oil company, which today controls the world's products of petroleum.

MICHAEL ANSBOROUGH SUCCEUMS TO INJURIES. Michael Edward Ansborough died in the hospital last night as the result of the injuries which he sustained last Saturday while working on the steamer Lake Erie. Mr. Ansborough fell into the hold of the vessel, a distance of about twenty-five feet. He was picked up unconscious and an examination showed that his back was broken. No hopes were entertained for his recovery. He has been getting weaker ever since, and death came about nine o'clock last night.

The deceased was in his sixty-second year and has been a resident of St. John all his life. He was a widower, his wife having died only five months ago. He is survived by one brother, John Ansborough of 33 Horsfield street.

NAPLES, Dec. 26.—The summit of Mount Vesuvius is covered with snow today, producing a picturesque effect. Snow has also filled cracks in the volcano resulting from the recent eruption and it is feared that when it melts and reaches the region of fire new eruptions will occur.

PARIS, Dec. 26.—The foreign office today issued a second and the most categorical denial that it has made any reply of any sort regarding the Vatican's protest to the powers on the subject of the expulsion of Manager Montanari.

TENDERS TO BE ASKED FOR SOON

Construction of Eastern Section of the G. T. P.

Appeal in the Memorandum Case Dismissed With Costs—Aged Moncton Lady III

MONCTON, N. B., Dec. 26.—Advertisements will be issued this week, calling for tenders for the construction of portions of the eastern section of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway between Moncton and Levis. Besides asking tenders for sections between Levis and New Brunswick, it is understood that, before the end of the week, tenders will also be solicited for the following sections of the National Transcontinental Railway—from Moncton towards Chipman, a distance of fifty miles. The road will enter Moncton from north, and will run almost parallel with the I. C. R. from Berry's Mills to this city. Tenders will also be called for a section in New Brunswick sixty-two miles in length, from the Quebec frontier towards the town of Grand Falls. The route will be down Baker's Brook, and thence along the St. John river valley to a point about two and a half miles distant from Grand Falls.

Between the two sections named there will be in New Brunswick three additional sections, each fifty miles, tenders for constructing which will be called early in the spring, or as soon as the question of route has been finally determined by the authorities. Word was received here this afternoon that in the Memorandum case of Wood v. LeBlanc, argued in the supreme court of Canada at Ottawa on the 19th inst., judgment was delivered, dismissing the appeal with costs. This confirms the settlers in the damages awarded them by Judge Barker.

One of Moncton's oldest residents in the person of Mrs. Donald, who is aged eighty-six years, lies seriously ill. Mrs. Donald was seized with an attack of heart failure shortly after arising this morning, and owing to her advanced years but slight hopes are entertained for her recovery.

John A. McDonald, a former resident of Irtown, died at Quincy, Mass., last Wednesday.

Dr. Campbell of Springfield, father-in-law of R. W. Simpson of this city, suffered a severe stroke of paralysis on Monday, and is reported to be in a very precarious condition. Although he had previously been enjoying almost perfect health.

At Sinder Mountain, Kings Co., yesterday, Walter P. Soper, a city market butcher, was married to Miss Maud Stewart.

James Weldon, of the most extensive real estate owners in the city, was recently married to Miss Maud Triton, daughter of Abner Triton of Moncton. Tomorrow evening at Truro a meeting of delegates to organize the new Inter-provincial Hockey League is to be held. Representatives from Moncton, Truro, Amherst and New Glasgow will be present. Amherst, while sending delegates to the meeting, has not yet decided to put a team into the new organization, and Fredericton has not yet been heard from.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. McGrath of Fredericton are spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. McGrath's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Gallagher.

CHILLI SUFFERS FROM EARTHQUAKE. SANTIAGO, Chile, Dec. 26.—Half of the town of Arica, in the province of Tacna, has been destroyed by an earthquake, and other towns in that neighborhood have suffered more or less severely. The report of liquefaction of the soil is not yet confirmed. The August disaster fresh in their minds, the people in the earthquake zone are greatly alarmed.

LEFT FOR THE WEST. R. D. Isaacs Will Look up Location for Austrian Colony.

R. D. Isaacs, general manager of the Northwestern Land and Investment Co., left last night for Winnipeg, Saskatoon, Prince Albert and the Pacific coast.

Mr. Isaacs while in the West will look up locations for a colony of Austrian settlers who intend coming to Canada in the spring. The land required will probably exceed 10,000 acres. The local real estate man has options on several promising properties in two of the most promising towns in the Northwest, and if the deals are consummated local investors can expect to get something that will probably pay them better than anything yet offered in the real estate line in these provinces.

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BAPTISTS WILL HAVE CONFERENCE HERE

For Formation of Dominion Convention, Instead of the Four Bodies Now Existing.

This afternoon a meeting will be held of the committees representing the Maritime Baptists and the Dominion committee to discuss plans for the consolidating of the four Baptist conferences of Canada into one body, representing the entire Dominion.

At present the church government is in the hands of four separate conferences, which represent the Maritime Provinces, Ontario, Winnipeg and British Columbia districts. The Dominion committee which was appointed to inquire into the possibilities of, and make plans for the proposed union, has already met with the representatives of the other three districts. This afternoon they will complete the list by meeting the maritime committee.

The meeting will be held at two o'clock in the Foreign Mission office on Germain street. The matter will be thoroughly discussed and if the proposition meets with their favor, the committee will probably appoint delegates to meet with the Dominion committee and the representatives of the other three districts to make the final arrangements. It is expected that this meeting will be held in Montreal or Toronto next May.

It is proposed to establish a publishing house and amalgamate the various missionary boards in addition to other changes. The move is consequently one of great importance to the denomination.

At the meeting this afternoon the delegates present will include: Rev. D. Hutchinson, St. John; Rev. R. G. White of Charlottetown; Rev. H. C. Newcombe, Yarmouth; Judge Emmerson, Moncton; Rev. Z. L. Paas, Hillsboro; Rev. J. H. MacDonald, Fredericton; Rev. Dr. Cohoon, Wolfville; Rev. Dr. Manning, St. John; Rev. W. M. Hutchings, Amherst; Rev. Dr. Steele, Amherst; and Rev. A. J. Prosser.

SEAMEN ENTERTAINED. Excellent Programme Carried Out at Chipman House Last Night.

The annual Christmas entertainment given by the Seamen's Mission Society to the sailors in port was held in Calvin Church last night. The affair was a great success. About three hundred and fifty seamen were present. An excellent programme was provided; refreshments were served, and at the close of the entertainment the hearts of the seamen were gladdened by the presentation of comfort bags, which are highly prized by the men.

The president of the society, H. C. Tilley, occupied the chair. His worship Mayor Sears was present and addressed the men. The following programme was carried out: Piano solo, Miss Ella Smith and Miss Lusher; solo, Miss Marion Campbell; reading, Miss De Cue; piano solo, Mrs. Horliss; solo, Chas. Lewis of the steamer Empress of Ireland; recitation, Master Frank Smith. A very interesting feature of the programme was the presentation of a number of character sketches by Rev. E. Thompson Smith.

The evening was spent most enjoyably by the men, and there were many expressions of their appreciation of the efforts of the society on their behalf.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS. As I am retiring from business the first of the year I beg to thank my friends for their liberal patronage during the past, and to introduce my successor Mr. Richard Rowe, who is taking over the business January 1st. I have much pleasure in recommending Mr. Rowe as I know him to be a competent photographer. Will anyone entitled to a re-sitting, having made a cash deposit please call before January 1st? To those not able to do so, the deposit will be allowed by Mr. Rowe, who will finish any such work. I will take sittings up to the evening of the 31st inst., after which time Mr. Rowe will take possession of the operating room. I will complete and deliver what ever work comes in before that time. And having work uncompleted for which please call and receive before Jan. 1st.

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ALMS HOUSE INMATES MADE HAPPY YESTERDAY

Large Number Present at the Annual Visit of the Commissioners and Friends of the Institution.

The regular visit of the commissioners and friends of the alms house, held annually on the day after Christmas, took place as usual yesterday, and although the weather was not pleasant there were fully a hundred visitors, including quite a number of ladies.

The school room was decorated with evergreen and in its centre stood an immense Christmas tree on which the children gazed with eager attention. The tree was well stocked with presents for each of the children, who in return carried out an informal programme which was thoroughly enjoyed and which was a great credit to Miss McDade, the teacher.

The building was first, however, visited by the commissioners, who found everything in first class condition and everything running smoothly under the able management of Mr. and Mrs. Woods. The visitors examined into the work done at the house, which is really of a three-fold nature, a children's home, home for incurables and an alms house. The amount of the hospital work done was found to be amazingly large.

The general programme in the school room was of an unusually interesting nature, consisting of choruses, songs and recitations by the children, who all looked bright and happy, and speeches by a number of the visiting gentlemen. The programme was presided over by a few brief remarks called upon Father O'Neill, Rev. S. Howard and Rev. Dr. Manning, three chaplains of the institution. Mayor Sears made a neat speech and Dr. Christie in a few brief remarks congratulated the staff on their good work.

After the children's programme the presentation of gifts took place. Toys for youngsters of all ages were present in abundance, while the women were presented with shawls and a hundred suits of underclothes were distributed among the men. Not one in the institution was forgotten.

There are many matters of importance to be considered, and it is therefore my earnest wish to have at the convention as many as possible of those who have a real interest in the advancement of Liberalism.

Thursday evening will be devoted to the selection of a Nominating Committee and the arranging of preliminaries. It is possible that an opportunity will be offered for short addresses from representatives of the different counties.

The convention will re-assemble on Friday at 10 o'clock in the forenoon for the transaction of the real business of the gathering. The day will be given up wholly to the work of organization, which, it is hoped will be completed in time to permit the delegates to return to their homes in the evening.

H. R. EMMERSON, Ottawa, Nov. 21st, 1906.

FRANCIS TUFTS DIED LAST NIGHT. Was a Prominent Lumber Merchant Widely Known and Highly Respected.

The death of Francis Tufts last night rolls St. John of another prominent and widely respected citizen. Mr. Tufts' death, which was due to heart disease, will come as a shock to his many friends. He was confined to his bed only since last Saturday, and death occurred last night about seven o'clock at his residence, No. 25 Elliott row.

The deceased was born in this city in 1847. He was married with his father, the late Francis Tufts, in the well known lumber and shipping firm of F. Tufts & Co., and has since his father's death carried on the business himself.

In 1897 Mr. Tufts was married to Miss Mary J. Watters of New Hampshire, who survives him. He is also survived by one brother, Leonard B. Tufts, of this city, and two sisters, Miss Beaulieu, living at home, and Miss Gertrude, also living in Boston. He also leaves two half sisters and two half brothers, Miss Dot and Miss Burdick, York, and Gordon and Raymond, who are at home. His stepmother is also still living.

The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

NANNARY AND RENNIE WERE DISCHARGED

Judge Wilson Decides for Defendants—Music for Public School

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 26.—Messrs. Nannary & Rennie, who were arrested a short time ago by members of their company, for wages due, this afternoon made a disclosure of their affairs before Judge Wilson. J. H. Barry, K.C., appeared for Nannary & Rennie, and H. F. McLeod for the plaintiffs. After hearing the evidence, the judge decided in favor of Nannary & Rennie, and ordered their discharge. Mooney of St. John, who stood bail for \$250, is released by the judge's decision.

At a meeting of the Fredericton Board of School Trustees this afternoon, with two absentees, Dr. Atherton and J. W. Spurden, it was decided by a vote of five to two to favor the adoption of teaching music in the public schools, and a committee was appointed to formulate a plan to be presented at the next meeting.

KHAKOVE, Russia, Dec. 26.—An unknown traveller dropped a bomb in the railway station here this evening upon alighting from an incoming train. Two passengers were killed and many were wounded by the explosion. The station is now surrounded by soldiers.

Advertising without system is like trying to manage an army without discipline.—Printers' Ink.

NEW FIND MAY BE GREATER OIL GROUND THAN PENNSYLVANIA

MONTECALVO, Italy, Dec. 26.—Further facts were received by L. O. Armstrong, colonization agent of the C. P. R., today which deal with the discovery of oil in Mantoulin Island, Lake Huron. It is now known that 100 wells have been sunk at a cost of about \$600 each and as a result the discoverers believe that they have an even greater oil ground than Pennsylvania had in its greatest days. To add to this, St. Joseph Island, which is of the same geological formation as Mantoulin, is known to have the same oil qualities.

In Pennsylvania it is used to cost \$1,500 to sink a well as against \$200 in Canada today. There is a belief in many quarters that this is the beginning of a great rival to the standard oil company, which today controls the world's products of petroleum.

MICHAEL ANSBOROUGH SUCCEUMS TO INJURIES. Michael Edward Ansborough died in the hospital last night as the result of the injuries which he sustained last Saturday while working on the steamer Lake Erie. Mr. Ansborough fell into the hold of the vessel, a distance of about twenty-five feet. He was picked up unconscious and an examination showed that his back was broken. No hopes were entertained for his recovery. He has been getting weaker ever since, and death came about nine o'clock last night.

The deceased was in his sixty-second year and has been a resident of St. John all his life. He was a widower, his wife having died only five months ago. He is survived by one brother, John Ansborough of 33 Horsfield street.

NAPLES, Dec. 26.—The summit of Mount Vesuvius is covered with snow today, producing a picturesque effect. Snow has also filled cracks in the volcano resulting from the recent eruption and it is feared that when it melts and reaches the region of fire new eruptions will occur.

PARIS, Dec. 26.—The foreign office today issued a second and the most categorical denial that it has made any reply of any sort regarding the Vatican's protest to the powers on the subject of the expulsion of Manager Montanari.

TRADE MARK REGISTERED For Men For Boys "Tiger Brand" Underwear. Such high-grade wool, so perfectly fashioned, "TIGER BRAND" doesn't pull or stretch out of shape. Same give and stretch after washing as before. Doesn't stiffen or shrink. Keeps its Shape Unshrinkable.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1906

A CUSTOMER'S REASONABLE WISH IS THIS STORE'S PLEASURE

You Bought Last Week Because You Wanted To. You Will Buy This Week Because We Want You To

We are going to make such attractive prices on clearing lines that you cannot resist. The first offering is a lot of Ladies' Neckwear at 15c. each. Some of them were as high as 75c.,—left-overs from last week's selling.

A Lot of Handkerchiefs in Boxes to be cleared out at 25c a box. They are pure linen and are worth 45c.

F. A. DYKEMAN & Co., 59 Charlotte St.

See My Ad. on Page 5 for Low Prices Before Stock Taking.

WALTER GILBERT, 143 Charlotte Street, Cor. Princess, Telephone 812.

Holiday Requirements at This Store! GIFTS SUITABLE FOR GENTS, LADIES AND CHILDREN. REMEMBER—A Dollar goes a long way at this Store. E. W. PATTERSON, 29 CITY ROAD.

Useful Gifts for All the Family. WOMEN'S SLIPPERS... MEN'S SLIPPERS... GIRLS' AND CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS... BOYS' HOCKEY BOOTS... MOOSE HIDE MOCCASINS... C. B. PIDGEON, Cor. Main and Bridge Sts., North End.

Start the New Year Right And drink MOTHER'S BLEND TEA. 55c. lb. The best value in the city. For sale only at JAS. W. BROGAN, 10 Brussels St.

THE TIDY STORE—JAS. W. BROGAN, 10 Brussels St. GAMES

Cribbage Sets, Bridge Sets, Cribbage Boards, Chess, From 45c. to \$4.00 each.

E. G. NELSON & CO., Cor. King and Charlotte Sts.

OUR HOLIDAY GIFT GOODS Are Useful and Appropriate and will give lasting satisfaction.

GEO. E. PRICE, Druggist, 127 Queen St., Phone 677, 303 Union St., Phone 1493.

Fresh Eggs, Butter and Potatoes, At Lowest Prices. MEGARITY & KELLEY, 114 Market Square, Telephone 929.

Dolls, Toys and Fancy Goods! Best assortment in St. John. Don't fail to get our prices before buying. Best lines going fast. Store open every evening until Christmas. ARNOLD'S DEPARTMENT STORE, Phone 1765, 83-85 Charlotte St.

THE WEATHER Moderate variable winds, cloudy, snow or sleet tonight. Friday, fresh southwest and west, cloudy.

LOCAL NEWS.

Supt. Jarvis, of the I. C. R., is in town. Among other matters which he will inquire into is the report of misconduct by Policeman Needham in the I. C. R. station.

Last evening at the regular fortnightly convocation of New Brunswick Lodge Knights of Pythias, two candidates were initiated into the mysteries of the second rank. Not a meeting passes nowadays but the K. P. have one or more new members.

A. P. O'Rourke, present assistant superintendent here of the London Life Insurance Company, has been promoted to the same position on night in honor of the Minister of Railways. He says the river ice is not by any means strong in fact it is fairly thin and it is in some places, particularly in localities where the tide rises are swift. Sleight on the roadways is good, the late snow flurry making them quick and smooth.

Captain A. L. Peatman, of Glenwood, on the river, drove to town today, and will attend the banquet on night in honor of the Minister of Railways. He says the river ice is not by any means strong in fact it is fairly thin and it is in some places, particularly in localities where the tide rises are swift. Sleight on the roadways is good, the late snow flurry making them quick and smooth.

THIS EVENING. Keith's vaudeville at York. Robinson Opera Co. at Opera House. Band at Queen's Rollaway. Band at Victoria Hotel. Banquet at Union Club.

PRIESTS FROM FRANCE MAY FIND REFUGE IN SPAIN

MADRID, Dec. 27.—The Spanish government simply acknowledged the receipt of the papal bull of excommunication from France of Mar. Montagnini and the seizure of the archives of the Nunciature at Paris. The bishop of Badajoz has written to the archbishop of Paris, Cardinal Richard, offering an asylum to all sick or aged French priests.

PARIS, Dec. 27.—An attempt made to form a general schismatic worship association in Paris has met with a formal refusal upon the part of the clergy.

DELAY AT MILL ST. CROSSING. Letters from several prominent citizens have been published in the local press recently, dealing with the delay caused to traffic on Mill street, on account of the railway crossing. This morning at 11.15 o'clock the need of a better system in having trains shunted across the street, was clearly demonstrated. A heavy freight was being shunted from the I. C. R. yard when the train started again, thirty-seven heavy teams, four street cars and a big crowd of pedestrians had gathered on the Grand Union side, all waiting to proceed north. The yard men could easily arrange things differently.

FUNERALS. The funeral of the late Walter Lane took place at 2.30 this afternoon from his late residence, 1181 street, Rev. P. J. Stackhouse officiated and interment was in Fernhill. The following acted as pall-bearers: W. H. Bowman, James Seaton, Thos. Northrup, H. Lawson, Samuel Hunter and James Farrell.

A large number of friends attended the funeral of Joseph A. Magilton, which took place at 2.30 this afternoon from his late residence, Adelaide St. The members of the council of the municipality attended in a body. The funeral was held at the residence of Mrs. M. No. 2, where also present. The burial service was conducted by Rev. Fotheringham and Foster. Interment was in Fernhill.

GUESTS ARRIVE FOR TONIGHT'S BANQUET

All is in readiness for the banquet to be given in honor of Hon. H. R. Emmerson in Union Club tonight. There arrived on the noon train today a large number of delegates, Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia, was among the number. He was tendered quite a reception at the depot. Sir Frederick was met by Mayor Sears, A. O. Skinner, Geo. Robertson and Hon. H. R. Emmerson. The minister looked in the best of health. He had nothing to say to the press. A number of other distinguished guests are expected on this evening's train.

UNCHANGED. LONDON, Dec. 27.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England remained unchanged at 6 per cent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Walter Apple Clark, the artist and illustrator, died early today at his home here. Mr. Clark was 51 years of age and a native of Massachusetts.

N. R. Desbriary returned to the city yesterday, after having spent Christmas with his parents in Bathurst. Calvin McLean is here from McGill, spending his holidays.

DEATHS. ANSBOROUGH—In this city on the 26th, inst. Michael Edward Ansborough, in the sixty second year of his age. Funeral from his brother's residence, No. 38 Horsfield street, on Friday, at 2.30. Friends invited to attend.

WAMBOLT—At the residence of W. Bakirk, 129 Paradise Row, on the 26th inst. Bertha, beloved wife of Harry W. Wambolt, aged 21 years, leaving a husband and one son to mourn their sad loss. Funeral on Friday at 2.30.

TENNYSON SMITH HAS WORSE THINGS TO SAY

He (Apologizes to Liquor Dealers for Not Abusing Them Sufficiently

Speaking to the Star this morning with references to his remarks on Monoton liquor cases in which the son of the presiding judge appeared for the defendants, E. Tennyson Smith notes that the same conditions appeared in the Hart Duffy case in police court yesterday. Mr. Smith stated that while it was not illegal for a judge's son to plead a case before his father, yet he thought that when a lawyer appears for a defendant, and pleads his case before his father, it shows very poor judgment on the part of the lawyer. He would apologize, if they would give him time he would say worse things about them. When the temperance orator stated that he would take back some of the expressions he had used, the committee present looked surprised. One was heard to say, "Well, if Tennyson Smith gives in, we had better stop." But when the last sentence of his speech was heard, the situation took on a different aspect. Mr. Smith says that he will return to this city next week after holding meetings in some other New Brunswick towns. As to whether he will give more addresses here is a question to be decided by a committee of the Federation.

CHARLOTTETOWN PEOPLE HAVE ANOTHER GRIEVANCE

They are Objecting to the Winter Time Table on the P. E. I. Railway

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Dec. 27.—At a meeting of the business men of Charlottetown, held, strong resolutions were unanimously passed condemning the winter time table proposed to be introduced on the Prince Edward Island Railway on New Year's. The new table, they say, will reduce the passenger and freight service below that of previous seasons, will demoralize the mails and seriously handicap business interests. A general meeting of citizens will be held tonight to discuss the question.

INDIAN NATIONAL CONGRESS DEMANDS HOME RULE

CALCUTTA, Dec. 26.—At the opening of the Indian National Congress today Dadabhai Naoroji, formerly a member of the British Parliament, delivered an address insisting upon the rights of the Indians, as British subjects, to govern themselves. The speaker pointed out that the Boers whom the Indians helped to fight against the British government while India was still without it and urged the raising of a large Indian force to educate the Indians as to their rights and for the carrying on of the campaign in England.

REPLY TO "PEACE"

To the Editor of the Star: Dear Sir—I saw in your issue of the 26th an article headed "A Better Way," and signed "Peace." As a member of one of the organizations attacked, I feel called upon to reply. "Peace" quotes from Sir Sandford Fleming, who advocates Universal Peace. The arguments for universal peace may be sound, but they are rather premature in these days of international disputes. Military drill is compulsory in most boys' colleges throughout the Empire, and may soon become so in Canada's public schools. As "Peace" seems to think that a soldier cannot be a good Christian, I wish to beg to ask if he had ever heard of the following: King Arthur, Alfred the Great, Charlemagne, Wallace, Bruce, Oliver Cromwell, Gen. Wolfe, Admiral Nelson, Sir Isaac Brock, Sir Henry Havelock, Sir James Outram, Gen. Gordon, Gen. Wauchops, and hosts of others, too numerous to be mentioned. His remarks might be interpreted as a direct attack upon nearly every church in St. John, as Presbyterians, Episcopalians, Roman Catholics, Methodists, and Baptists, have each formed church, corps, or boys' brigades. "Elijah" Sanford and "Elijah" Dowie advocate universal peace, but the public opinion of them is too well known to be mentioned here. In church parades I have attended, patriotic sermons were used merely as a basis from which the boys were urged to become true soldiers of the Cross. Thanking you for your valuable space, and hoping you will excuse the length of this letter, I remain, Sir, your obedient servant, ONE OF THE KILTIES.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED.—Kitchen girl and one pastry cook. Apply at Dufferin Hotel 27-12-3

WANTED AT ONCE.—An experienced dining room girl. Apply LANS-DOWNE HOUSE, South Side King Square. 27-12-4

LOST.—A sum of money in a small envelope, between the North End and City proper. Finder will confer a favor by leaving at 80 Victoria street or 55 Sydney street, Reward, B. THORNE. 27-12-1

BOARDING.—Pleasant rooms, with or without board, 107-1-2 Princess St. 27-12-2

WANTED.—A dining room girl and a cook, at the WESTERN HOUSE, West Hill. 27-12-4

FORESTERS REGRET TO PART WITH MR. CHAPMAN

The members of Court Grand Bay, I. O. F., have communicated to E. R. Chapman, Past Chief Ranger, their regrets at his departure and their wishes for his future success, in the following letter:

GRAND BAY, Dec. 25, 1906. E. R. Chapman, Esq., St. John, N. B.: Dear Sir and Brother—The members of Court Grand Bay having noted with sincere regret that you are about to leave our province, requested me to convey to you their appreciation of the interest that you have always shown in the welfare of the court. We feel that we are about to lose a friend, both in Forensic circles and otherwise. We hope, both as a court and as individuals, that success may attend your efforts in the growing West. Brother Chapman, we shall miss you in the court, at the festive board, and when the joke goes round, your appetite and your wit, will all be wanting. And we envy the court that will be the gainer.

We hope and pray that continued health and happiness may be your lot wherever it is cast. Again wishing you success and God speed, I remain, on behalf of the court, Yours in L. B. and C., DAVID R. USHER, Recording Secretary.

THE WRONG KIND OF A CHRISTMAS BOX.

In the police court this morning there were four drunks, who were fined the usual amount. The fifth was Edward Maher, who was arrested on a warrant for striking his wife on the face. It was one of her Christmas boxes and she gave a bottle in charge of the police for being so generous. He was fined \$20.



Tooths Extracted Without Pain, 15c.

We make the best \$5.00 set of teeth in this city. We make the best \$5.00 gold crown in this city. Gold filling from \$1.00; Silver and other filling from 50c; plates repaired from 50c. Boston Dental Parlor, 527 Main St. Dr. J. D. Maher, Proprietor. Office hours—8 a. m. until 9 p. m. Telephone—Office, 631; Residence, 725.

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Allowed on the balance of our stock of CALENDARS, and 25 p. c. on CHRISTY PICTURES. Christy Calendars for 1907 for \$2.00 net.

We will also make a reduction of from 25 p. c. to 33 1-3 p. c. on all Holiday Goods until the end of the month.

The Floods' Co., 31-33 King St. Specials for the Christmas Season. Ripe Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Pineapples, Sweet Potatoes, Cape Cod Cranberries, Bananas, White Clover Honey, Choice Florida Oranges and Grape Fruit. F. E. WILLIAMS & CO., LTD., Phone 543. Cor. Charlotte and Princess Sts.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS See our unusually beautiful display of Ties, Scarfs, Gloves, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, Umbrellas, Hats, Caps, Boots, etc. (Prices Lowest) Fancy Boxes given with best Neckwear and Suspenders. WETMORE'S, The Young Men's Man 154 MILL STREET

Raisins, Currants, Peels. Best Seeded Raisins, 11 cents pound package; Best Muscatels, 11 cents pound; Best New Cleaned Currants (in 1 lb. packages), only 9 cents per pound; Best New Figs, only 10c. pound; Best Leshorn Citron, only 15c. pound; Best Lemon Peel, only 15c. pound; Best Orange Peel, only 15c. pound; Best New Dates, only 7c. pound, 4 pounds for 25c. We sell Roasted Peanuts at 10c. per pound. Also Black Baskets, London Layers and Cluster Raisins, at BARKERS' prices.

The Two Barkers, Ltd 100 Princess Street and 111 Brussels Street.

New Year's Gifts--Bargains! WHAT REMAINS OF OUR HOLIDAY FANCY GOODS TO BE CLEARED OUT REGARDLESS OF COST 3 Days of Remarkably Low Prices FRIDAY, SATURDAY, MONDAY. OMISSIONS AND DISAPPOINTMENTS in every corner of the city on Christmas makes this Clearance of ours a very timely and welcome proposition. Pretty nearly everybody visited our Art Room with its lovely holiday wares, so it will be needless to enumerate what may be found on the bargain tables—pictures, glassware, china, brasses, leather novelties, etc., etc. Everything MUST go. NOTHING BROKEN OR SOILED—ALL GOOD.

MEN'S FLANNEL SHIRTS, 75c to \$4.00. NEW PYJAMA OUTFITS, \$1.50 to \$7. NEW IMPORTED CLOTHS, The Best. There's a growing tendency towards the use of this comfortable night clothing, as our sales clearly indicate. We can supply handsome, well made suits in Fancy Shakers, for \$1.50 and \$1.75; Fancy All Wool Flannel, \$2.25 to \$4.50; Madras, \$2.75 to \$4.75; Silk and Wool, \$5.25, and All Silk, \$7. Beautifully made. MEN'S OUTFITTINGS. CLOTH DEPT.

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